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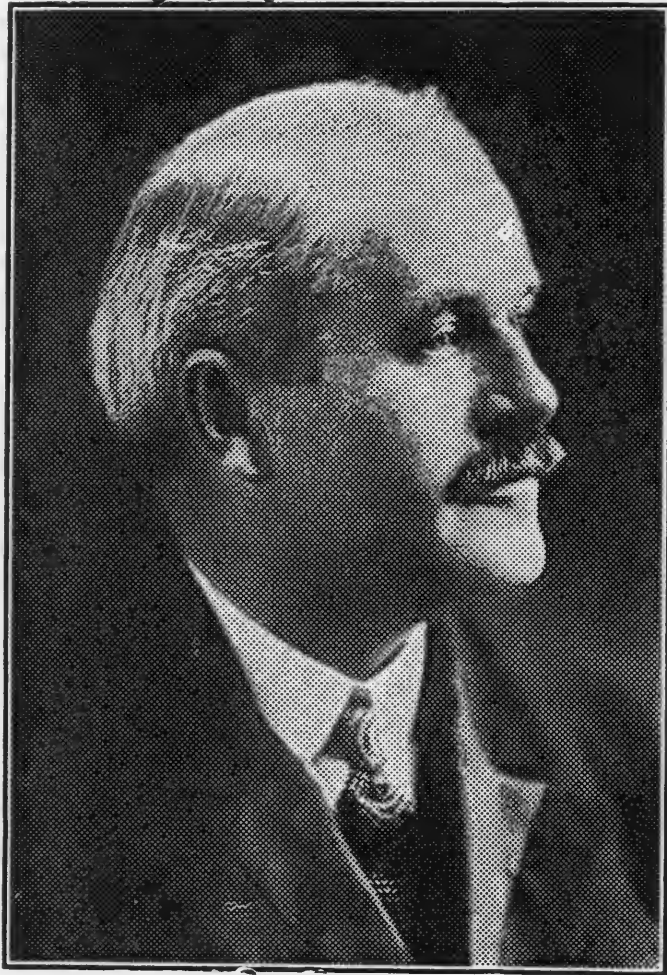
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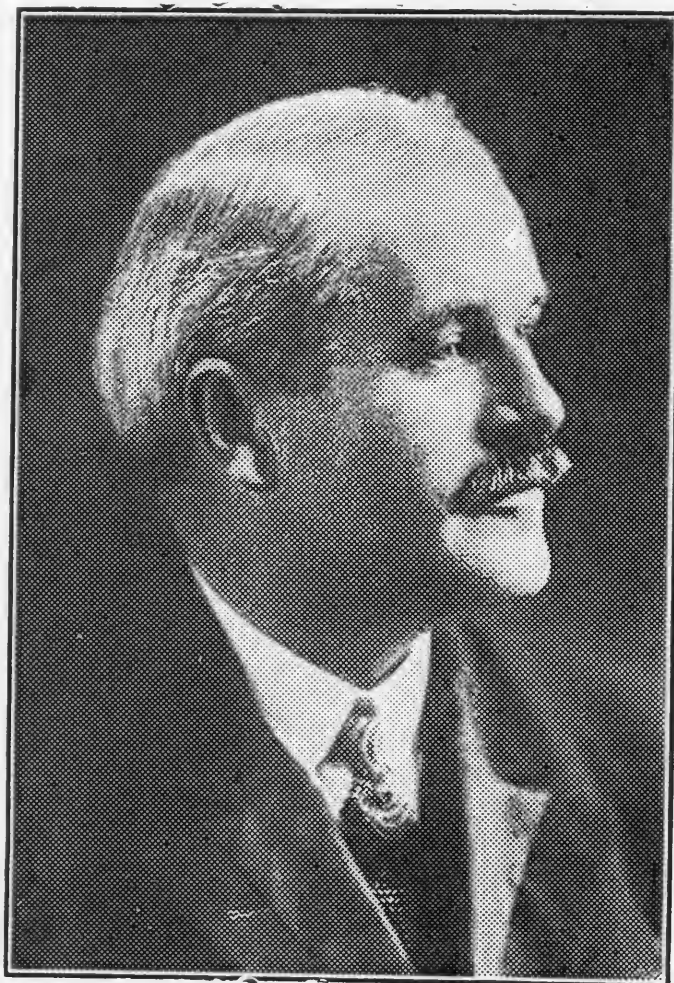
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CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL AND MINISTERIAL RECORD

HONORARY MEMBERS.

- THOMAS BAYLES HUGHES, D. D. -----Deceased
Transferred from W. Va. Conf., 1886. Member of Iowa Conf. till
death, 1917.
- BISHOP EDWIN HOLT HUGHES, D. D., LL. D. -----Malden, Mass.
Received on trial in Iowa Conf., Newton, 1887. Elected Bishop,
1908. Presided over the session of Iowa Conf. at Grinnell, 1912.
- BISHOP MATTHEW SIMPSON HUGHES, DD., LL. D. ----Deceased
Received on trial in Iowa Conf., Oskaloosa, 1888. Elected Bishop
1916. Presided over the session of Iowa Conf., at Bloomfield, 1918.

Any minister unable to attend the Conference is requested to write
the Secretary by the time of convening.

- APFEL, PAUL S. -----Oakville
Iowa, Hillsboro, '14; Montrose, '16; Fairfield Ct., '17; Oakville, '19.
- ARMACOST, J. H. -----Iola, Kan.
Kentucky, Mt. Olivet. Iowa, Unionville, '83; Salem, '85; Morning
Sun, '86; Wellman, '89; Keota, '91; Pella, '94; Sy., '95; Ret., 1900.
- ARMS, RUSSELL J. -----Attica
Iowa, Ewart, '16; Rose Hill, '17; Attica, '18.
- BANKER, M. A. -----Des Moines
Kentucky, '00. Iowa, Mystic, '06; Santa Fe Ave., Ft. Madison,
'09; New London, '16; Moulton, '18; Sy., '20.
- BARBER, G. W. -----Montrose
Iowa, Keosauqua Ct., '82; Bentonsport, '84; Pulaski, '86; Selma,
'88; Eldon, '93; Taintor, '95; Kossuth, '96; Farmington, '97;
Drakesville, '00; Libertyville, '02; Unionville, '04; Bussey, '06;
Salem, '08; Ret., '09; Chillicothe, '10; Buxton, '14; Muscatine
South, '15; Montrose, '18.
- BARKER, THOMAS F. -----Washington
Iowa, Crawfordsville, '90; Kossuth, '96; Eldon, '97; Crawfordsville,
'02; New London, '04; Lovilia, '10; Letts, '11; Keota, '14; Ret., '19.
- BARKER, ALFRED H. -----Ottumwa
Iowa, Victor, '10; Lexington, '11; Muscatine North, '12; School,
'15; Wellman, '17; Ottumwa Willard St., '20.
- BARNETT, JOHN F. -----Crawfordsville
Iowa, '84; Farmington, '85; G. B. I., '88; North English, '92;
Wilton, '94; Ft. Madison First Ch., '99; Milton, '01; Fremont, '04;
Richland, '05; New Sharon, '08; Mt. Pleasant Ct., '10; Brighton,
'13; Lone Tree, '15; Crawfordsville, '19.
- BARR, WILLIAM G. -----Killduff
Iowa, Killduff, '20.
- BARTLETT, EDWARD R. -----Detroit, Mich.
Iowa, Grandview, '11; School, '14; Educational Sec'y, '18; Super-
visor of Religious Education, '20.

- BAUMGARTEN, C. E. ----- Exline
Iowa, West Chester, '08; Williamsburg, '11; Kalona, '13; Batavia, '15; Birmingham, '16; Mt. Pleasant Ct., '17; Richland, '18; Exline, '20.
- BEHRENS, JOHN C. ----- New London
Iowa, Mt. Union, '11; Keosauqua, '13; Richland, '17; Libertyville, '18; New London, '20.
- BENTZINGER, EDWARD A. ----- Ft. Madison
Iowa, Oakville, '04; Marsh, '05; Yarmouth, '06; Burlington Ct., '08; Batavia, '12; Danville, '15; Ft. Madison First, '18.
- BEVAN, DAVID C. ----- Portland, Oregon
Iowa, Pleasant Hill, '70; Koszta, '72; Oxford, '74; Lettsville, '77; Sweetland, '79; Wilton, '80; Ottumwa Main St., '83; First Church Oskaloosa, '85; Victor, '91; Malcolm, '94; Letts, '96; Morning Sun, '99; Ft. Madison First Ch., '01; Ottumwa Main St., '02; Moulton, '05; Hedrick, '09; Ret., '10.
- BISHOP, S. F. ----- Mt. Pleasant
Iowa, Salem, '78; Webster, '80; Martinsburg, '82; Brighton, '83; Newton Circuit, '85; Lone Tree, '86; Pleasant Hill, '88; Pella, '90; Wayland, '92; New London, '94; Columbus City, '97; Sperry, '00; Sy., '01; Millersburg, '04; Barnes City, '06; Jerome, '08; West Point, '09; Hillsboro, '12; Ret., '14.
- BLAGG, GEORGE ----- Muscatine
Iowa, Exline, '01; Mystic, '03; Mt. Sterling, '06; Morning Sun, '09; Montezuma, '13; Albia, '17; Muscatine First, '19.
- BOOS, C. H. ----- Mt. Pleasant
Iowa, West Grove, '15; Pittsburg, '16; Troy, '17; Buxton, '19.
- BOWERS, W. W. ----- Washington
Iowa, Washington, '20.
- BREEDEN, RICHARD ----- Carpenter, Wyo.
Iowa, '88; Sonora, '03; Ass't Superintendent Home Finding Association, '04; Sy., '05; Ret., '12. Wyoming State Conference, '14. Iowa, '17; Ret., '18.
- BROOKS, EDWARD C. ----- Tiffin
Colorado, '70. Iowa, Ottumwa Main St., '87; Marengo, '89; Newton, '92; Montezuma, '95; Centerville, '98; Brooklyn, '00; Muscatine Ct., '03; North English, '06; Williamsburg, '09; Wapello, '11; Columbus Junction, '13; Brighton, '18; Ret., '19.
- BROWN, JAMES M. ----- Oskaloosa
Minn., '87. Northern Minn., '94. Minn., Austin, '00; Mankato, '04. Dakota, Sioux Falls, '06. Iowa, Keokuk, '11; Grinnell, '12. Oskaloosa Dist., '19.
- BUELL, W. E. ----- Danville
Iowa, Packwood, '14; Lovilia, '16; Cincinnati, '17; Donnellson, '18; Danville, April, '20.
- BURDINE, CLEM E. ----- Newport
Iowa, Oakville, '17; Fairview, '19.
- BURDOCK, LUKE R. ----- Webster
Iowa, Albia Ct., '99; Blakesburg, '00; Tracy, '01; Unionville, '02. Kansas Conf., '03. Cedar, '05; Thornburg, '06; Deep River, '08; Delta, '11; Sy., '12; Lexington, '13; Muscatine North, '15; Tiffin, '17; Columbus Junction, '18; Webster, '20.

- BUSBY, I. N. ----- Brooklyn
Iowa, Malcolm, '68; Montezuma, '71; Newton, '73; Ottumwa, '75;
Danville, '76; New London, '79; Malcolm and Madison, '81; Madison, '82; Ret., '86.
- BUSHENDORF, SHERMAN E. ----- Tracy
Iowa, Tracy, '20.
- BUTLER, H. E. ----- Mt. Union
Iowa, West Grove, '06; Donnellson, '07; Oakville, '10; South Muscatine, '13; Nichols, '15; Webster, '18; Mt. Union, '19.
- CADWELL, A. B. ----- West Liberty
Illinois, Pleasant Hill, '98; Manchester, '99; Ocone, '03; Pava, '04; Owaneco, '05. Iowa, Winfield, '08; Ottumwa Main St., '11; Albia, '13; Montezuma, '17; West Liberty, '19.
- CARSON, J. W. -----
Iowa, Salina, '90; Troy, '91; Columbus City, '96; Salem, '97; Cantril, '01; Mystic, '02; Keosauqua Ct., '03; Mt. Sterling, '04; Unionville, '06; Farmington, '09; Wayland, '11; Fairfield Ct., '14; Fremont, '17; Leave of Absence, '20.
- CAUGHLAN, J. C. ----- Keosauqua
Iowa, Martinsburg, '88; Durham, '90; Eddyville, '92; Kirkville, '96; Packwood, '00; Bussey, '03; Moravia, '04; New Sharon, '06; Richland, '08; Pella, '11; Wilton, '12; Batavia, '16; Keosauqua, '19.
- CLEWORTH, C. D. ----- Hartford, Mich.
Iowa, Ret., '14.
- COCHRAN, C. W. ----- Packwood
Iowa, Salina, '01; West Point, '03; Sperry, '05; Burlington Ct., '07; Attica, '08; Eddyville, '10; Bussey, '12; Barnes City, '15; Wayland, '16; Packwood, '19.
- COGGESHALL, C. E. ----- Winfield
Iowa, Fremont, '05; Cincinnati, '07; Eldon, '08; Buxton, '11; Lone Tree, '12; Wapello, '15; Moulton, '17; New London '18; Winfield, '20.
- COLLIER, RICHARD ----- Wayland
Iowa, Deep River, '88; Taintor, '91; Beacon, '92; Lynnvile, '94; Mystic, '98; Bentonsport, '01; Bonaparte, '02; Eldon, '03; Cincinnati, '05; Wayland, '07; Cedar, '10; Ladora, '13; Ollie, '15; Riverside, '16; Ret., '19.
- CONANT, P. M. ----- Milton
Iowa, Riverside, '03; Webster, '04; Muscatine Ct., '06; Burlington West, '08; Moravia, '09; Ainsworth, '13; New Sharon, '15; Army Chaplain, '18; Hedrick, '19; Milton, '19.
- COOPER, C. S. ----- Agency
Missouri, New London, '69; Warrentown, '70; Brookfield, '72; Macon City, '73. Iowa, Keosauqua, '73; Sigourney, '76. Missouri, Plattsburg, '79; Maryville, '80; West Nebraska Mission, '83. Iowa, Kossuth, '90; Kirkville, '92; Keokuk Dist., '97; Albia, '03; Dist. Supt. Anti-Saloon League, '05; Ret., '14; Conf. Temperance Agent, '17.
- COX, GORDON D. -----
Iowa, Bussey, '10; School, '12; Army Chaplain, '18.
- COX, M. D. ----- Sigourney
St. Louis, Cassville, '03; Billings, '05. Iowa, Hamilton-Buxton, '07; Buxton, '08; School, '11; Agency, '14; Ladora, '17; New Sharon, '18; Sigourney, '20.

- CROWTHER, W. M. -----Guernsey
Oklahoma. Iowa, Libertyville, '10; Birmingham, '11; Mt. Union,
'14; Oxford, '16; Guernsey, '19.
- CRULL, L. A. -----Muscatine
Oklahoma, '94. Iowa, Millersburg, '97; Sweetland, '99; Danville,
'01; Sy., '03; Kellogg, '04; Moravia, '06; Malcolm, '08; Ret., '11.
- CUDLIPP, J. H. -----Burlington
Detroit, Pickford, '87; Stevenson, '89. Minnesota. Staples, '90;
Fergus Falls, '93; Glencoe, '97; Forest Heights, Minneapolis, '01;
First Ch., Cheyenne, Wyo., '04; First Ch., Wichita, '06; Grace Ch.,
Portland Ore., '09. Iowa, First Ch., Ottuma, '13; Burlington
First, '16.
- DAY, F. E. -----Ottumwa
Iowa, Newton, '14; Ottumwa First, '16.
- DAY, FRANK J. -----Evanston, Ill.
Iowa, '17. Ollie, '17; School, '19.
- DALY, EUGENE S. -----Nat'l. Soldier's Home, Va.
Sy., '03; Ret., '12.
- DAVIS, JOHN -----Mt. Pleasant
New Connection, Canada, '69. Iowa, Chillicothe, '71; Independ-
ence, '73; Keota, '74; Webster, '77; Brighton, '79; Millersburg,
'81; Pleasant Hill, '84; Lexington, '87; Lone Tree, '90; Kalona,
'92; Webster, '94; Beacon, '01; Iconium, '03; Troy, '04; Drakesville,
'06; Ret., '09.
- DECKER, JOHN S. -----Mediapolis
Iowa. Melrose, '99; Sperry, '01; Burlington, West, '03; Mt. Pleas-
ant West, '04; Packwood, '07; Kirkville, '09; Richland, '11; Mora-
via, '13; Ft. Madison Santa Fe, '16; Morning Sun, '18; Mediapolis,
'20.
- DILLON, WILLIAM H. -----Columbus Junction
Iowa, '94. Melrose, '92; Pleasant Plain, '95; Martinsburg, '98;
Durham, '00; Eddyville, '01; West Chester, '02; Williamsburg, '05;
Wilton, '09; Brighton, '12; Crawfordsville, '13; Pella, '17; North
Liberty, '18; Columbus Junction, '20.
- DOUD, EDWARD E. -----Alhambra. Cal.
Iowa, Mt. Union, '85; Sy., Pulaski, '88; Libertyville, '92; Thorn-
burg, '94; Reasnor, '95; New London, '97; Crawfordsvillè, '00;
Avery, '02; Missionary to Arizona, '04; Sy., '09; Ret., '14.
- DRUSE, H. C. -----West Chester
Iowa, Bonaparte, '08; Salem, '10; Burlington Harrison Ave., '12;
Libertyville, '13; Montrose, '15; Unionville, '16; Lovilia, '17; West
Chester, '18.
- ELLIS, CHARLES L. -----Douds-Leando
Iowa, Douds-Leando, '20.
- FAIRWEATHER, E. F. -----Mystic
Iowa, Mystic, '20.
- FELT, R. V. -----Cantril
Missouri, '09. Iowa, Cedar, '17; Cantril, '19.
- FIELD, C. A. -----Marengo
Missouri, Hamilton, '95; Chula, '97; Stewardsville, '98; Maysville,
'99; Graham, '02; St. Joseph Wesley, '04. Iowa, Santa Fe Ave.,
Ft. Madison, '06; Mystic, '09; Keosauqua, '10; Ottumwa Main St.,
'13; Ainsworth, '17; Marengo, '19.

Conference Chronological Roll.

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- FILMER, GEORGE ----- Fremont
New York East Conference. Moriches, Long Island, '74; Bayport
and Blewpoint, Long Island, '75; Amityville First Ch., Long Is-
land, '78; Lynbrook, Long Island, '81; Greenport, Long Island, '84;
West Stratford, Conn., '86; Baldwins, Long Island, '89. Iowa
Conference, Milton, '91; Danville, '93; Ainsworth, '97; Lexington.
'01; Kalona, '03; Chillicothe, '06; Fremont, '08; Harvey, '13; Mar-
tinsburg, '15; Tracy, '18; Ret., '20.
- FITZSIMMONS, C. E. ----- Bussey
Reasnor, '13; Attica, '16; Bussey, '18.
- FIX, O. J. ----- Eldon
Iowa, Hillsboro, '07; Batavia, '10; Burlington Ct., '12; Pulaski, '15;
Eldon, '18.
- FOWLER, WM. J. ----- Bloomfield
Iowa, School, '09; Mt. Sterling, '11; Kilduff, '13; Birmingham, '17;
Burlington Grace, '19; Bloomfield, April, '20.
- FRAKER, J. W. ----- Mt. Pleasant
Iowa, North Newton Ct., '84; Rose Hill, '85; Taintor, '87; Farm-
ington, '91; Birmingham, '94; Mt. Pleasant Ct., '97; New London,
'00; Sy., '04; Ret., '05.
- FRASIER, H. C. ----- Ft. Andrew, Boston
Wyoming, '17. Iowa, '17. Chaplain U. S. A.
- FRYE, F. P. ----- Yarmouth
Donnellson, '15; West Burlington, '18; Yarmouth, '20.
- FRYE, E. B. ----- Boston, Mass.
Iowa, Grandview, '16; School, '17.
- GARDNER, W. S. ----- Brighton
Iowa, Abingdon, '82; Salina, '83; Webster, '84; Drakesville, '87;
Eldon, '90; Ottumwa Willard St., '91; Oskaloosa Simpson Ch., '93;
Fremont, '94; Keokuk First Ch., '98; Moulton, '02; Albia, '05;
Field Secretary Graham Hospital, '08; Delta, '10; Mediapolis, '11;
New Sharon, '12; Deep River, '15; Crawfordsville, '17; Brighton,
'19.
- GARRETT, FLOYD M. ----- Mt. Pleasant
Iowa, Farson, '17; National Army, '18; Avery, '19; Drakesville, '20.
- GILBERT, H. F. ----- Mt. Pleasant
Iowa, Mt. Zion, '93; Keosauqua Ct., '94; Batavia, '97; West Bur-
lington, '98; Eddyville, '00; Cedar, '01; Packwood, '03; Cantril, '04;
Montezuma, '09; Muscatine Dist., '13; Organizing Agent Per-
manent Fund, '19.
- GOLTRY, C. C. ----- Lynnvile
Iowa, Cincinnati, '19; Lynnvile, '20.
- GRAY G. V. ----- Blakesburg
Iowa, Blakesburg, '20.
- GRIGSBY, L. M. ----- Oskaloosa
Nebraska. Iowa, Muscatine First Ch., '10; Washington, '14; Os-
kaloosa, '16.
- GROOM, WILLIAM N. ----- Muscogee, Okla.
Iowa, Batavia, '74; Keokuk First Ch., '76; Boston Theological
School, '80; New Sharon, '83; Keosauqua, '84; Missionary to Idaho,
'86; Pella, '87; Ottumwa Main St., '89; Wilton Junction, '92; Keo-
ta, '94; Malcolm, '96; What Cheer, '97; Deep River, '99; Beacon,
'00; Unionville, '01; Conference Evangelist, '02; Sy., '06; Ret. '10.

- HAINES, A. W. ----- Rockford, Ill.
Iowa, Beacon, '69; Lancaster, '70; Abingdon, '71; Eureka, '72; Bonaparte, '73; Bentonsport, '75; Drakesville, '77; Pulaski, '79; Lebanon, '81; Birmingham, '83; Kossuth, '86; Burlington Ct., '87; Kellogg, '88; Pella, '92; What Cheer, '94; Malcolm, '97; Oxford, '99; Ewart, '00; Sy., '02; Ret., '07.
- HALL, W. N. ----- Oskaloosa
Iowa, Letts, '80; Marengo, '82; Sigourney, '84; Keosauqua, '86; Burlington Grace, '87; Sy., '90; Ft. Madison Santa Fe Ave., '93; Winfield, '94; Ret., '98; Tiffin, '99; Wilton, '00; Hedrick, '02; New Sharon, '03; Victor, '06; Ret., '07; Tracy, '10; Beacon.
- HAMILTON, W. J. ----- Albia
Iowa, Beacon, '08; Victor, '08; Mt. Sterling, '10; Farmington, '11; Attica, '13; Sonora, '15; Lovilia, '18; Albia Ct. '20.
- HANCHER, J. W. ----- New York, N. Y.
South Kan., Cotton Wood Falls, '80; Florence, '81. Upper Iowa, Clarksville, '83; Nashua, '84; Missionary to Black Hills, '87; Black Hills. Rapid City, '87; Pres. Black Hills College, '89; Grand Ave. Ch., Kansas City, '97; N. New York, Herkeimer, '99. Iowa, Pres. I. W. U., '01; Prof. I. W. U., '08; Counsellor in Education, '12; Assistant Secretary Board of Education, '14; Associate Secretary Board of Education, '17; Counsellor in Finance, '20.
- HANKINS, CHARLES B. ----- Newton
Iowa, School, '04; Libertyville, '05; School, '07; Mystic, '10; Hedrick, '11; Morning Sun, '13; West Liberty, '16; Bloomfield, '19; Newton, April, '20.
- HANLEY, J. R. ----- Muscatine
Iowa, West Chester, '00; Sweetland, '02; Keota, '04; West Liberty, '06; Centerville, '09; Sy., '13; Army Chaplain, '18; Leave of Absence, '19; Sy., '20.
- HAWK, P. H. ----- Victor
Iowa, Farmington, '14; Burlington Ct., '17; Sy., '19; Victor, '20.
- HAYES, MYRON E. ----- Pella
Iowa, Knoxville Ct., '18; Lynnville, '19; Pella, '20.
- HEATH, A. A. ----- Ottumwa
Iowa, Delta, '12; Ottumwa Main St., '17.
- HEHNER, E. S. ----- Eddyville
Iowa, Lacey, '07; Yarmouth, '09; Stockport, '11; Salem, '14; Douds-Leando, '15; Jerome, '18; Eddyville, '19.
- HEHNER, J. P. ----- Batavia
Iowa, Delta, '07; Libertyville, '08; Wayland, '10; Lone Tree, '11; Lovilia, '12; North English, '14; Malcolm, '17; Mt. Union, '18; Batavia, '19.
- HEPPE, W. H. ----- Denver, Colo.
Iowa, Burlington, '14; Newton, '16; Sy., '20.
- HENDERICKSON, HOMER O. ----- Mt. Pleasant
Iowa, West Burlington, '14; School, '17; Prof. I. W. C., '20.
- HICKS, LOUVERNE C. ----- West Burlington
Iowa, West Burlington, '20.

- HIGHTSHOE, A. B. ----- Ottumwa
Iowa, West Point, '89; Lone Tree, '94; Sigourney, '98; Montezuma, '01; Ft. Madison, '03; Ottumwa Main St., '05; Financial Secretary American Home Finding Ass'n, '07; Crawfordsville, '09; Mystic, '11; Hedrick, '13; Moravia, '16; Conference Agent Permanent Fund, '20.
- IRELAND, W. B. ----- Thornburg
Iowa, Unionville, '93; Cedar, '94; Lovilia, '95; Durham, '96; Mt. Union, '98; West Point, '00; Drakesville, '02; Pulaski, '04; Libertyville, '07; Muscatine South, '08; Kellogg, '09; Sy., '10; Fairfield Ct. '11; Wayland, '14; Mt. Union, '16; Malcolm, '18; Thornburg, '20.
- JONES, W. H. ----- Milton
Iowa, Reasnor, '72; Ottumwa Ct., '05; Bonaparte, '06; Douds, '07; American Home Finding Society, '10; Cantril, '16; Ret., '19.
- JORDAN, ARTHUR L. ----- Stockport
Iowa, Sperry, '04; Oakville, '05; Sweetland, '07; Webster, '08; Riverside, '09; Yarmouth, '11; Mt. Sterling, '13; Stockport, '17.
- KEESEY, WILBUR R. ----- Mt. Pleasant
Minnesota, Fillmore, '92; Marion, '95; Elmore, '98; Owatonna, '03; Northfield, '07; Trinity, St. Paul, '11; Mankota, '12. Iowa, Fairfield, '15; Mt. Pleasant, '18.
- KENDRICK, J. C. ----- Ottumwa
Iowa, Springfield, '69; Keota, '70; Abingdon, '72; Wayland, '73; New London, '76; Winfield, '78; Wapello, '80; Richland, '82; Eldon, '85; Ainsworth, '87; Sigourney, '89; Ottumwa Main St., '93; Muscatine, '95; Pella, '98; Agency, '01; Columbus Junction, '03; Oxford, '06; Martinsburg, '07; Conf. Agent Permanent Fund, '08; Ret., '20.
- KENDRICK, A. V. ----- Long Beach, Calif.
Iowa, Springfield, '73; Malcolm, '76; New Sharon, '79; Oskaloosa, Simpson, '82; S. Burlington, '84; Ft. Madison, '87; West Liberty, '91; Keokuk Chatham Sq., '94; Brooklyn, '96; Centerville, '00; Keokuk Dist., '03; Burlington Harrison Ave., '09; Field Secretary Graham Hospital, '10; Ret., '11.
- KENNEDY, THOMAS C. ----- What Cheer
Iowa, Barnes City, '11; Deep River, '13; Ainsworth, '15; What Cheer, '17.
- KRENMYRE, J. H. ----- North English
Iowa, Keosauqua Ct., '08; Jerome, '09; Avery, '10; Jerome, '11; Tiffin, '13; North English, '17.
- LAMBERT, J. W. ----- Highland
W. Va., Centerville Ct., '77; Parkersburg Ct., '79; Ravenswood Ct., '82; Elizabeth Ct., '84. Iowa, New Sharon, '85; Sonora Ct., '89; Montezuma, '92; Brooklyn, '95; Knoxville, '96; Ottumwa Dist., '99; Keokuk, '05; Burlington Grace, '08; Danville, '11; Birmingham, '14; Williamburg, '16; Ret., '18.
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Iowa, Buxton, '17; Pulaski, '18; Chillicothe, '19.

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Iowa, Sperry, '92; Student at Boston, '94; Lacey, '97; Deep River, '00; Letts, '05; Danville, '09; Winfield, '11; Burlington Grace, '14; Albia, '19.
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- LOOSE, CLARENCE D. ----- Wilton
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Eldon, '13; Conference Evangelist, '15; Sy., '18.
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Iowa, Exline, '93; West Grove, '96; Mt. Pleasant West Circuit, '98;
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Dist., '11; Burlington Dist., '16.
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Iowa, Floris, '19; Oxford, '20.
- SLACK, W. H. -----Wayland
Iowa, Bloomfield Ct., '12; Drakesville, '14; Mystic, '16; Wayland,
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Iowa, Blue Grass, '89; Sweetland, '91; Lexington, '94; Webster,
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Wellman, '14; Brooklyn, '16; Milton, '17; Agency, '19; Unionville,
'20.
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Iowa, Webster, '64; Kirkville, '67; Victor, '70; Marengo, '72;
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lard St., '99; Sy., '01; Conf. Evangelist, '02; Pella, '03; Ret., '05.
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Iowa, Montrose, '92; Batavia, '95; West Burlington, '97; Eddyville,
'98; School, '99; Pulaski, '00; What Cheer, '02; Montezuma, '03;
Washington, '07; Muscatine, '14; Pres. I. W. C., '19.
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Iowa, Springfield, '67; Peoria, '68; Bellfontaine, '71; New Sharon,
'72; Pella, '73; Marengo, '75; Wilton, '77; Oxford, '80; Burlington
South Ch., '81; Danville, '83; Letts, '85; West Liberty, '86; Ft.
Madison First Ch., '91; Williamsburg, '94; Children's Home Socie-
ty, '96; Supt. Am. Home Finding Association, '09; Ret., '19.
- SMITH, WALTER A. -----Moulton
Iowa, Lexington, '05; Farson, '08; Harvey, '09; Malcolm, '11; Delta,
'17; Ottumwa Willard St., '18; Moulton, '20.
- STAFFORD, C. L. -----Muscatine
Iowa, Burlington Ct., '70; Fairfield, '71; Oskaloosa Simpson, '73;
Burlington Grace Ch., '76; Albia, '77; Keokuk Chatham Square,
'78; Washington, '81; Muscatine Dist., '83; Ottumwa First Ch., '89;
President Iowa Wesleyan University, '91; Muscatine, '99; Bloom-
field, '04; Oskaloosa Dist., '08; West Liberty, '14; Wilton, '16;
Ret., '18.
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Iowa, Durham, '07; Tiffin, '08; Sperry, '09; Salem, '12; Stockport,
'14; Ass't. Supt. American Home Finding Ass'n., '17; Sweetland,
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- STODDARD, W. P. -----Grinnell
New England Southern, '80. Iowa Oskaloosa First Ch., '91; Mt. Pleasant, '94; Grinnell, '99; Centerville, '03; Muscatine First, '06; Newton, '07; Cor. Sec. Iowa Methodist Hospital, '09; Centenary Field Sec'y., '18.
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Iowa, No. Muscatine Ct., '10; School, '12; Libertyville, '15; Danville, '18; Burlington Grace, April, '20.
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Iowa, Ollie-Pekin, '20.
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Iowa, Farmington, '84; Cincinnati, '85; Moulton, '88; Keosauqua, '93; Fremont, '98; Grace Ch. Burlington, '03; Fairfield, '08; Burlington Dist., '10; Centerville, '16; Fairfield, '18.
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 Adam Weir ----- Des Moines
 F. M. Tombaugh, M. D., (1) ----- Burlington

Term Expires 1923

T. J. Myers, D. D., (32) ----- Mt. Pleasant
 J. W. Neasham, (13) ----- Ottumwa
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President—A. A. Heath; Secretary-Treasurer, C. E. Coggeshall.

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PLAN OF CONFERENCE EXAMINATIONS

BOARD OF EXAMINERS

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A. B. Cadwell	M. D. Cox	W. J. Fowler
J. S. Decker	L. G. Rohrbaugh	E. W. Stodghill
J. H. Krenmyre	E. A. Bentzinger	P. M. Conant

ASSIGNMENT OF STUDIES TO EXAMINERS.

Admission on Trial.

1. The English Language—P. M. Conant.
2. American History—A. B. Cadwell.
3. Doctrine and Discipline—A. H. Barker.
4. Life of John Wesley—E. W. Stodghill.
5. Plain Account—J. C. Behrens.
6. Paper—George Blagg.
7. Sermon—W. A. Longnecker.

First Year.

1. New Testament History—M. D. Cox.
2. Human Behavior—W. J. Fowler.
3. The Making of the Sermon—Charles B. Hankins.
4. How to Study, etc.—J. F. Rex.

Collateral Reading.

1. The Church School—R. G. Nye.
2. Public Worship—J. C. Behrens.
3. Individual Work for Individuals—M. D. Cox.
4. The Pastor-Preacher—Charles B. Hankins.
5. Winning the Fight—P. M. Conant.
6. Life of the Spirit, etc.—P. M. Conant.
7. Francis Asbury—E. W. Stodghill.
8. Methodist Review—J. F. Rex.

Second Year.

1. (a) Dictionary of the Bible—L. G. Rohrbaugh.
(b) The Bible in Making—E. A. Bentzinger.
(c) How We Got Our Bible—A. B. Cadwell.
2. A Short History of the Christian Church—George Blagg.
3. (a) Pupil and Teacher—R. G. Nye.
(b) The Graded Sunday School, etc.—W. R. Keesey.
4. The Way to Win—M. D. Cox.

Collateral Reading.

1. The Christian View of the Old Testament—L. G. Rohrbaugh.
2. Education in Religion and Morals—W. R. Keesey.
3. The Preacher, His Life and Work—W. J. Fowler.

4. Letters on Evangelism—J. F. Rex.
5. Solving the Country Church Problem—A. A. Heath.
6. History of Methodism, (Vol. I.)—J. S. Decker.
7. Life of Luther—E. A. Bentzinger.
8. Methodist Review—E. W. Stodghill.

Third Year.

1. Beacon Lights of Prophecy—A. A. Heath.
2. Foundations of Christian Belief—J. F. Rex.
3. The Social Problem—J. H. Krenmyre.
4. Introduction to the Study of Comparative Religion—Charles B. Hankins.

Collateral Reading.

1. Studies in Christianity—E. W. Stodghill.
2. The Fact of Christ—A. H. Barker.
3. Christianity and the Social Crisis—A. A. Heath.
4. Social Evangelism—J. C. Behrens.
5. Community Survey—J. H. Krenmyre.
6. History of Methodism, (Vol. II.)—J. S. Decker.
7. Life of Phillips Brooks—George Blagg.
8. Methodist Review—A. B. Cadwell.

Fourth Year.

1. Paul and His Epistles—W. J. Fowler.
2. System of Christian Doctrine—A. H. Barker.
3. Every Day Ethics—P. M. Conant.
4. (a) The New Home Missions—George Blagg.
(b) Social Aspect of Foreign Missions—J. H. Krenmyre.

Collateral Reading.

1. Historical Geography of the Holy Land—L. G. Rohrbaugh.
2. The Book of Isaiah—W. R. Keesey.
3. Outline of Christian Theology—A. H. Barker.
4. The Call of the World—E. A. Bentzinger.
5. The Church, a Community Force—R. G. Nye.
6. The Minister as Shepherd—Charles B. Hankins.
7. History of Methodism, (Vol. III.)—J. S. Decker.
8. Methodist Review—J. C. Behrens.

Local Course Review and Deacons' and Elders' Orders.

A. B. Cadwell, First Year; R. G. Nye, Second Year; L. G. Rohrbaugh, Third Year; E. A. Bentzinger, Fourth Year.

EXAMINATIONS.

1. The Mid-Year meeting for examination shall be held on the third Tuesday in May at 8:00 a. m., unless otherwise ordered.
2. All examinations in the First, Second, Third and Fourth Years in the Course of Study, will be given at the time of the Mid-Year.
3. All undergraduates including Local Preachers in charge, are required to be present at the Mid-Year.
4. When a Preacher in full connection fails to be advanced in the studies of a given year, that year shall not be counted as a year of

effective service, unless he is in attendance upon a standard school or is excused by a two-thirds vote of the Conference upon recommendation of the Board of Examiners.

5. Only certificates from our regular Theological Seminaries and other Educational Agencies approved by our University Senate will be accepted in substitution.

6. All Local Preachers, who are giving their full time to work under a District Superintendent, shall be required to take the Local Preachers' Course of Study, year by year under the Board of Examiners.

7. All Sermons and "Required Written Work" in the Collateral Reading should be completed as soon as possible and sent in when completed. The examiners will not be expected to grade any such work after the first of August.

8. Examinations for "Admission on Trial" or for Orders will be held at the seat of the Conference at 8:00 a. m., on the day preceding the opening of the Conference. The work should be completed on that day as the Discipline does not authorize any other day.

9. Each candidate for examination in the Course of Study or for Orders shall pay to the Registrar a matriculation fee of fifty cents per year payable prior to examination.

UNDERGRADUATES

(Showing relationship, place in study course and ordination.)

Name	Rec'd on Trial	Admitted Full Mem.	Year in C of S	Deacon	Elder
Luverne C. Hicks -----			1		
William G. Barr -----	1920		1		
Sherman E. Bushendorf--	1920		1		
Charles L. Ellis -----	1920		1		
Wm. M. Longnecker -----	1920		1		
Everett A. Sabin -----	1920		1		
Roy F. Sturgell -----	1920		1		
Arthur C. A. Swanson ---	1920		1		
James A. Worrell -----	1920		1		
Forest A. Moore -----	1919		1		
Harold W. Singer -----	1919		2		
W. Craig Tinney -----	1919		1		
Myron E. Hayes -----	1918		3	1920	
Benjamin F. Schwartz ---	1918		3	1920	
Edward D. Wahl -----	1918		1	1918	1918
Clem E. Burdine -----	1917		1		
Frank J. Day -----	1917		1		
Harry C. Frasier -----	1917		1	1918	1918
Floyd M. Garrett -----	1917		2		
R. Lee LeMott -----	1917		2		
J. Earl Vandagriff -----	1917		1		1918
Roy C. Walker -----	1917		1	1917	1918
Ermil B. Frye -----	1916		3		
Clarence D. Loose -----	1917	1919	4	1919	
Jesse R. Rudkin -----	1914	1917	4	1917	
William H. Slack -----	1912	1916	4	1916	
George H. Smith -----		1912	4	1913	
Charles C. Goltry -----		1920	3	1920	
Myron R. French -----			4		

Any minister unable to attend the session of the conference is requested to write the Secretary by the time of convening.

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CONFERENCE COMMITTEES

STANDING COMMITTEES FOR SESSION OF 1920

All Missions.—C. R. Zimmerman, J. E. Ward, J. H. Cudlipp, C. H. Boos, A. W. McBlain.

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Epworth League.—C. E. Burdine, Lloyd Tennant, W. A. Smith, E. A. Bentzinger, M. A. Banker.

Privileges and Resolutions.—L. M. Grigsby, H. C. Druse, J. C. Caughlan, O. J. Fix, W. S. Gardner.

Sunday Schools.—J. C. Behrens, A. M. Smith, R. G. Nye, J. J. Pritchard, C. A. Field.

Temperance.—C. S. Cooper, M. E. Nethercut, J. H. Krenmyre, Lloyd Tennant, H. C. Millice.

Memoirs.—T. J. Myers, J. C. Kendrick, George Filmer, W. G. Thorn, T. S. Pool.

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District Conference Records.—W. B. Ireland, R. V. Felt, W. E. Buell, J. R. Rudkin.

College Banquet.—President U. S. Smith and Pastor of the church.

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State of the Church.—L. M. Grigsby, George Blagg, C. B. Hankins, W. J. Fowler, W. W. Bowers.

State of the Country.—W. R. Keesey, J. S. Decker, R. L. Patterson, F. E. Day, W. W. Whitman.

Hospitals.—Lloyd Tennant, H. B. Scoles, L. H. Lanning, C. L. Stafford, F. B. Tucker.

Conference Relations.—J. F. Barnett, E. A. Bentzinger, C. E. Cogshall, A. M. Smith, W. B. Ireland.

Education.—P. M. Conant, A. B. Cadwell, E. E. Lymer, W. C. Wasser, H. F. Gilbert, H. B. Scoles, L. G. Rohrbaugh.

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Sunday Schools.—J. C. Behrens, Treverton Warren, R. G. Nye, J. J. Pritchard, Harold Singer.

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VI

DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS

1. *Is this Annual Conference Incorporated According to the Requirements of the Discipline?* It is.

2. *Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?* W. W. Bowers, New England; E. J. Fairweather, Genesee; Geo. V. Grey, Southern Illinois; Louverne C. Hicks, Northwest Nebraska; J. B. Pritchard, Southern Illinois; W. W. Whitman, Nebraska.

3. *Who have been Readmitted?* None.

4. *Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?* Myron R. French, Nazarene church; Treverton Warren, Congregational church.

5. *Who have been Received on Trial?* (a) In studies of first year: William G. Barr, Sherman E. Bushendorf, Charles L. Ellis, William M. Longnecker, Everett A. Sabin, Roy F. Sturgell, Arthur C. A. Swanson, James A. Worrell. (b) In studies of Third Year under Seminary Rule: None.

6. *Who have been Continued on Trial?* (a) In studies of first year: Clem E. Burdine, Frank J. Day, Harry C. Frasier, George V. Grey, Louverne C. Hicks, Forest A. Moore, William C. Tinney, J. Earl Vandagriff, Edward D. Wahl, Roy C. Walker. (b) In studies of second year: Floyd M. Garrett, Robert Lee LeMott, Harold W. Singer. (c) In studies of third year: None. (d) In studies of fourth year: None.

7. *Who have been Discontinued?* Newton E. Moats.

8. *Who have been admitted into Full Membership?* (a) Elected and ordained deacons this year: Charles C. Goltry, Myron E. Hayes, Benjamin F. Schwartz. (b) Elected and ordained deacons previously: Charles B. Rayhill.

9. *What Members are in Studies of Third Year?* (a) Admitted into full membership this year: Charles C. Goltry, Myron E. Hayes, Benjamin F. Schawrtz. (c) Admitted into full membership previously: Ermil B. Frye.

10. *What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?* Clarence D. Loose, Jesse R. Rudkin, William H. Slack, George H. Smith.

11. *What Members have Completed the Conference Course*

of Study? (a) Elected and ordained elders this year: Russell J. Arms, Clare H. Boos, Homer C. Hendrickson, John A. Moorman, Charles B. Rayhill. (b) Elected and ordained elders previously: None. (c) Elected and ordained elders under the seminary rule: None.

12. *What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?* (a) As local preachers: None. (b) Under missionary rule: None. (c) Under the seminary rule: Benjamin F. Schwartz.

13. *What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?* (a) As local deacons: None. (b) Under missionary rule: None.

14. *Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?* This was strictly done as the name of each preacher was called in open Conference.

15. *Who have been Transferred and to what Conferences?* A. J. Behner, Rock River; C. A. Bloomquist, Rock River; E. W. Day, N. Minnesota; C. G. Ellis, Nebraska; J. A. Glendinning, Idaho; B. G. Hankins, Idaho; J. A. Monkman, Nebraska; W. C. Perdew, Upper Iowa; L. L. Smith, Des Moines; Wm. Zabilka, N. India..

16. *Who have Died?* Joseph E. Corley.

17. *Who have been Located at their own Request?* None.

18. *Who have been Located?* None.

19. *Who have Withdrawn?* None.

20. *Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?* None.

21. *Who have been Expelled?* None.

22. *What other personal Notation should be made?* None.

23. *Who are the Supernumerary Ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this Relation?* J. R. Hanley, 1; W. H. Heppe, 1; W. L. Selby, 3; E. A. Schell, 1; F. B. Tucker, 8.

24. *Who are the Retired Ministers?* J. H. Armacost, D. C. Bevan, E. C. Brooks, T. F. Barker, Richard Breeden, S. F. Bishop, I. N. Busby, L. A. Crull, C. S. Cooper, G. D. Cleworth, Richard Collier, E. S. Daly, John Davis, E. E. Doud, George Filmer, J. W. Fraker, W. N. Groom, W. N. Hall, A. W. Haines, W. H. Jones, A. V. Kendrick, J. C. Kendrick, J. W. Lambert, C. H. Montgomery, T. J. Myers, C. R. Norton, W. N. Potter, W. A. Phelps, H. F. Pugh,

T. S. Pool, C. L. Stafford, W. R. Stryker, D. C. Smith, U. B. Smith, H. N. Smith, G. M. Tuttle, W. G. Thorn, W. G. Wilson.—38.

25. *Who are the Triers of Appeals?* T. J. Myers, C. B. Hankins, R. L. Patterson, George Blagg, J. H. Cudlipp.

26. *What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension?* See published report.

27. *What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Foreign Missions?* None.

28. *What is the Statistical Report?* See the Statistician's Report.

29. *What is the Conference Treasurer's Report?* See the Conference Treasurer's Report.

30. (a) *What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?* \$184,917.00.

(b) *What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the Annual Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?* \$40,897.00.

31. *What are the Claims on the Conference Funds?* For Annuity distribution, 1758 1-4 years multiplied by the Disciplinary rate of \$16.00 per year, \$35,165. For Necessitous distribution, \$1,500. Total, \$36,665.

32. (a) *What has been Received on these Claims?* From the Book Concern, \$5,906; from Annual Conference Investments, \$2,500; from the Chartered Fund, \$35; from Pastoral Charges, \$18,357; from the Board of Conference Claimants, \$250; total, \$27,048. (b) *How has it been Applied?* See report of Conference Stewards.

33. *What amount has been apportioned to the Pastoral Charges within the Conference, to be raised for the Support of Conference Claimants?* \$28,576.

34. *What amount has been paid by the Conference Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants for Connectional Relief?* \$542.

35. *Where are the Preachers Stationed?* See List of Appointments.

36. *Where shall the Next Conference be held?* Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.

VII

APPOINTMENTS

(Probationers in *Italics*, Supplies in brackets)

BURLINGTON DISTRICT

E. J. SHOOK, Supt., Mt. Pleasant 5
 Batavia-----J. P. Hehner 2
 Birmingham---H. W. Munster 2
 Bonaparte-----To be supplied
 Burlington—
 First-----J. H. Cudlipp 5
 Grace-----E. W. Stodghill 1
 Harrison Ave. (T. F. Cooke) 8
 Burlington Circuit—J. W. Stine 2
 Danville-----W. E. Buell 1
 Donnellson----(O. B. Rogers) 1
 Fairfield-----C. L. Tennant 3
 Fairfield Circuit—F. S. Seeds 2
 Farmington---George H. Smith 2
 Ft. Madison—
 First-----E. A. Bentzinger 3
 Santa Fe Ave. N. A. Swickard 3
 Hillsboro-----J. F. Pritchard 1
 Keokuk-----M. E. Nethercut 3
 Kingston----- (O. T. Wilson) 1
 Libertyville---R. T. Richards 1
 Mediapolis-----J. S. Decker 1
 Montrose-----G. W. Barber 3
 Morning Sun---J. E. Newsom 1
 Mt. Pleasant---W. R. Keesey 3
 Mt. Pleasant Ct.—J. A. Wilson 3
 Mt. Sterling---To be supplied
 Mt. Union-----H. E. Butler 2
 New London---J. C. Behrens 1
 Salem----- (Victor Bloomquist) 3
 Sperry----- (H. B. Green) 4
 Stockport-----A. L. Jordan 4
 Wayland-----W. H. Slack 2
 West Burlington—L. C. Hicks 1
 Winfield-----C. E. Coggshall 1
 Yarmouth-----F. P. Frye 1

MUSCATINE DISTRICT

G. L. MINEAR, Superintendent, 2
 Mt. Pleasant.
 Ainsworth-----A. W. McBlain 2
 Amish-----Myron R. French 1
 Brighton-----W. S. Gardner 2
 Columbus City-----
 (Harold H. Ward) 4
 Columbus Junction-----
 W. H. Dillon 1
 Crawfordsville—J. F. Barnett 2
 Fairview-----C. E. *Burdine* 2
 Grandview--- (Leslie Anthony) 1
 Guernsey-----W. M. Crowther 2
 Kalona----- (J. D. O'Dell) 1
 Keota-----R. V. Pike 1
 Koszta----- (A. O. Nash) 1
 Ladora-----J. R. Rudkin 2
 Letts-----R. L. Patterson 1
 Lexington-----H. C. Millice 1
 Lone Tree-----J. J. Pritchard 2
 Marengo-----C. A. Field 2
 Muscatine—
 First-----George Blagg 2
 North----- (C. D. Nash) 1
 South-----To be supplied
 Nichols-----Jas. A. Worrell 2
 North English—J. H. Krenmyre 4
 North Liberty— (W. G. Thorn) 1
 Oakville-----P. S. Apfel 2
 Oxford-----Harold *Singer* 1
 Riverside-----D. Phillips 1
 Sweetland----- (P. B. Gray) 2
 Tiffin----- (E. C. Brooks) 2
 Victor-----P. H. Hawk 1
 Wapello-----O. E. McBride 1
 Washington---W. W. Bowers 2
 Webster-----L. R. Burdock 1
 Wellman-----W. S. Moore 1
 West Chester---H. C. Druse 3
 West Liberty---A. B. Cadwell 2
 Williamsburg---J. F. Rex 3
 Wilton-----C. D. Loose 2

OSKALOOSA DISTRICT

J. M. BROWN, Supt., Oskaloosa 2
 Attica_____R. J. Arms 3
 Barnes City_____W. J. Scott 1
 Beacon_____Everett Sabin 2
 Brooklyn_____J. W. Pool 4
 Bussey_____C. E. Fitzsimmons 3
 Cedar_____Arthur Swanson 1
 Deep River_____Lloyd Tennant 4
 Delta_____R. G. Nye 2
 Eddyville_____E. S. Hehner 2
 Ewart_____ (Frank Rumer) 1
 Fremont_____W. E. Tinney 1
 Givin_____ (Walter Samp) 1
 Grinnell_____W. C. Wasser 2
 Harvey_____ (R. F. Halburg) 1
 Hedrick_____W. W. Whitman 1
 Kellogg_____ (Irwin Friday) 1
 Killduff_____W. G. Barr 3
 Knoxville_____H. B. Scoles 2
 Knoxville Ct. (E. M. Cathcart) 1
 Lacey_____ (M. F. Campbell) 3
 Lynnville_____C. C. Goltry 1
 Malcolm_____J. E. Ward 1
 Montezuma_____L. H. Lanning 2
 New Sharon C. R. Zimmerman 1
 Newton_____C. B. Hankins 2
 Ollie-Pekin_____Roy F. Sturgell 1
 Oskaloosa_____L. M. Grigsby 5
 Pella_____Myron E. Hayes 1
 Reasnor_____J. A. Moorman 1
 Rose Hill_____W. Craig Tinney 2
 Sigourney_____M. D. Cox 1
 Sonora_____F. A. Moore 1
 Taintor_____To be supplied
 Thornburg_____W. B. Ireland 1
 Tracy_____S. E. Bushendorf 1
 What Cheer_____T. C. Kennedy 4

OTTUMWA DISTRICT

W. H. PERDEW, Supt., Ottumwa 5
 Agency_____C. D. Loehr 1
 Albia_____W. A. Longnecker 2
 Albia Ct._____W. J. Hamilton 1
 Avery_____Mayne Longnecker 1
 Blakesburg_____G. V. Gray 1
 Bloomfield_____W. J. Fowler 2
 Buxton_____C. H. Boos 2
 Cantril_____R. V. Felt 2
 Centerville_____Thos. Osborn 3
 Chillicothe_____R. L. Le Mott 2
 Cincinnati (Thomas Spencer) 1
 Douds-Leando Chas. L. Ellis 3
 Drakesville F. M. Garrett 1
 Eldon_____O. J. Fix 3
 Exline_____C. E. Baumgarten 1
 Floris_____To be supplied
 Highland Center J. W. Lambert 2
 Iconium_____ (J. F. Denman) 2
 Jerome_____ (Melford H. Bristol) 1
 Keosauqua_____J. C. Caughlan 2
 Kirkville_____Treverton Warren 2
 Lovilia_____ (J. O. Evitts) 1
 Martinsburg-Farson_____ (Charles Foster) 2
 Milton_____P. M. Conant 2
 Moravia-Trinity C. B. Rayhill 1
 Moravia-West (T. L. Stotler) 1
 Moulton_____Walter A. Smith 1
 Mystic_____E. J. Fairweather 1
 Ottumwa—
 First_____F. E. Day 5
 Willard St. A. H. Barker 1
 Main St._____A. A. Heath 4
 Circuit_____ (James Wilkins) 1
 Packwood_____C. W. Cochran 2
 Pittsburg_____ (J. E. Milburn) 1
 Pulaski_____To be supplied
 Plano_____ (S. P. Trostle) 1
 Richland_____E. T. Lewis 1
 Troy_____ (J. C. Austin) 1
 Unionville_____A. H. Smith 1
 West Grove_____ (C. E. Ward) 2

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

U. S. Smith, President Iowa Wesleyan College, member of Mt. Pleasant Quarterly Conference.

L. G. Rohrbaugh, Student Pastor, State University of Iowa, member of Hedrick Quarterly Conference.

U. B. Smith, Superintendent Home Finding Association, member of Ottumwa First Church Quarterly Conference.

A. B. Hightshoe, Conference Agent for the Permanent Fund, member of the Moravia Quarterly Conference.

C. S. Cooper, Conference Temperance Agent, member of the Agency Quarterly Conference.

J. W. Hancher, Counsellor in Finance, Board of Education, member of Mt. Pleasant Quarterly Conference.

E. E. Lymer, Vice-President Iowa Wesleyan College, member Mt. Pleasant Quarterly Conference.

H. F. Gilbert, Organizing Secretary Iowa Conference Permanent Fund, member of Mt. Pleasant Quarterly Conference.

E. R. Bartlett, Supervisor of Religious Education, Detroit, Mich., member of Santa Fe Ave., Ft. Madison Quarterly Conference.

H. O. Hendrickson, Professor Iowa Wesleyan College, member Mt. Pleasant Quarterly Conference.

H. C. Frasier, Chaplain United States Army, member Mt. Pleasant Quarterly Conference.

W. P. Stoddard, Office Secretary, Omaha Area, member Grinnell Quarterly Conference.

Hugh Neville, Missionary to Utah, member Oxford Quarterly Conference.

Leave of Absence under Paragraph 186 of the Discipline—
J. W. Carson, M. A. Banker.

LEFT WITHOUT APPOINTMENT TO ATTEND ONE OF OUR SCHOOLS

Frank J. Day, member of the Ollie Quarterly Conference.

Benj. F. Schwartz, member of the Grinnell Quarterly Conference.

J. E. Vandagriff, member of the Mt. Pleasant Quarterly Conference.

Edward D. Wahl, member of the Victor Quarterly Conference.

E. B. Frye, member of the Mt. Pleasant Quarterly Conference.

U. D. Rumbaugh, member of the West Grove Quarterly Conference.

Roy C. Walker, member of the Mediapolis Quarterly Conference.

VIII

JOURNAL OF THE CONFERENCE

Proceedings of the Seventy-Seventh Session of the Iowa Annual
Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

FIRST DAY

GRINNELL, IOWA, September 1st, 1920.

Opening.—The seventy-seventh session of the Iowa Annual Conference convened in the Methodist Episcopal church in Grinnell, Iowa, at 8:30 a. m., Wednesday, September 1, 1920, Bishop Homer C. Stuntz of Omaha, Nebraska, presiding.

Sacrament.—After singing appropriate hymns, the sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered by Bishop Stuntz, assisted by District Superintendents E. J. Shook, G. L. Minear, J. M. Brown and W. H. Perdew.

Organization.—Bishop Stuntz made a few remarks appreciative of his being continued in the Omaha Area for the ensuing quadrennium, after which nominations for Secretary were called for. W. A. Longnecker was nominated and elected. He named his assistants as follows and the nominations were confirmed: P. M. Conant, C. B. Hankins, L. H. Lanning and J. S. Decker. The Statistician, C. A. Field, and Treasurer, E. W. Stodghill, having been elected a year ago, named as their assistants the following and the nominations were confirmed: Statisticians: P. S. Apfel, W. E. Buell, T. C. Kennedy, H. E. Butler, J. A. Wilson, R. V. Felt, J. E. Ward and O. J. Fix. Treasurers: C. D. Loose, M. D. Cox, R. J. Arms, M. C. Hayes, A. H. Barker and R. C. Nye. H. C. Millice was elected Historian and W. J. Hamilton, Postmaster. The following were elected Triers of Appeals: T. J. Myers, George Blagg, C. B. Hankins, J. H. Cudlipp and R. L. Patterson.

Introductions.—The following were introduced: W. W. Bowers, M. R. French, T. Warren, G. V. Gray, W. C. Wasser, E. E. Higley of Grace church, Des Moines and Fred Dietrich of the University of Nanking, China.

Bar of Conference.—On motion of J. C. Kendrick the bar of the Conference was fixed to include the first six rows of pews.

Roll Call.—The Secretary called the roll and the following responded to their names: P. S. Apfel, R. J. Arms, G. W. Barber, A. H. Barker, J. F. Barnett, C. E. Baumgarden, J. C. Behrens, E. A. Bentzinger, S. F. Bishop, George Blagg, J. M. Brown, C. H. Boos, W. W. Bowers, E. C. Brooks, W. E. Buell, L. R. Burdock, H. E. Butler, A. B. Cadwell, J. C. Caughlan, C. W. Cochran, C. E. Coggeshall, Richard Collier, P. M. Conant, C. S. Cooper, M. D. Cox, W. M. Crowther, J. H. Cudlipp, F. E. Day, J. S. Decker, W. H. Dillon, H. C. Druse, C. A. Field, George Filmer, C. E. Fitzsimmons, R. V. Felt, O. J. Fix, W. J. Fowler, W. S. Gardner, H. F. Gilbert, L. M. Grigsby, W. J. Hamilton, J. W. Hancher, B. G. Hankins, C. B. Hankins, A. A. Heath, J. P. Hehner, E. S. Hehner, A. B. Hightshoe, W. B. Ireland, A. L. Jordan, W. R. Keeseey, J. C. Kendrick, T. C. Kennedy, J. H. Krenmyre, J. W. Lambert, L. H. Lanning, W. A. Longnecker, C. D. Loose, E. E. Lymer, A. W. McBlain, O. E. McBride, H. C. Millice, G. L. Minear, W. S. Moore, J. A. Moorman, H. W. Munster, T. J. Myers, M. E. Nethercut, J. E. Newsom, R. G. Nye, Thomas Osborn, W. H. Perdew, David Phillips, R. V. Pike, J. W. Pool, J. J. Pritchard, R. T. Richards, J. F. Rex, L. G. Rorbaugh, E. A. Schell, H. B. Scoles, F. S. Seeds, W. J. Scott, E. J. Shook, W. H. Slack, A. M. Smith, U. S. Smith, L. L. Smith, C. L. Stafford, J. W. Stine, W. P. Stoddard, E. W. Stodghill, N. A. Swickard, C. L. Tennant, Lloyd Tennant, W. E. Tinney, W. G. Thorn, G. M. Tuttle, J. E. Ward, W. C. Wasser, J. A. Wilson, C. R. Zimmerman.—102.

Probationers.—R. Lee LeMott, Floyd M. Garrett, Clem E. Burdine, B. F. Schwartz, M. C. Hayes, W. Craig Tinney, Harold W. Singer.—7.

Deceased.—J. E. Corley.

Program.—On motion of J. M. Brown the program as printed was adopted as the official program of the Conference.

Question of Privilege.—On a question of privilege F. E. Day announced the gift to the Permanent Fund of the Iowa Conference, of \$5,000.00 by Mrs. J. T. Hackworth of Ottumwa, and on his motion the Conference expressed its appreciation of this generous act by a rising vote.

Committee.—On motion of Thomas Osborn it was ordered that the Board of Examiners be constituted a Committee on Min-

isterial Qualifications for all those in the conference course of study and those up for admission on trial.

Referred.—On motion of G. L. Minear, Myron R. French was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for recognition of orders, and on motion of W. H. Perdew, Treverton Warren was referred to the same committee for the same purpose.

Standing Committees.—On motion of Thomas Osborn the list of Standing Committees published in the Year Book was approved and the District Superintendents were authorized to fill vacancies and to appoint a Committee on Education. See published list..

Pastor' Reports.—On motion of H. B. Scoles it was ordered that when the district roll of pastors called that financial reports be omitted.

Question Fourteen.—The fourteenth question was called: "Was the character of each preacher examined?" The name of E. J. Shook, Superintendent of the Burlington District, was called, his character passed and he made his report. The names of all the effective elders in pastoral service in the Burlington district were called and their characters passed.

The name of G. L. Minear, Superintendent of the Muscatine District, was called, his character passed and he made his report. The names of all the effective elders in pastoral service in the Muscatine district were called and their characters passed.

The name of J. M. Brown, Superintendent of the Oskaloosa District, was called, his character passed and he made his report. The names of all the effective elders in pastoral service in the Oskaloosa district were called and their characters passed.

The name of W. H. Perdew, Superintendent of the Ottumwa District was called, his character passed and he made his report. The names of all the effective elders in pastoral service in the Ottumwa district were called and their characters passed.

Addresses.—E. E. Higley, D. D., representing the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, was presented and addressed the Conference. J. F. St. Clair, D. D. of Indianola, Iowa, Financial Advisor for the Omaha Area, was presented and addressed the Conference.

Transfers.—The transfers of the following men was announced: W. C. Perdew, a probationer in the second year of the course of study, to the Upper Iowa Conference. J. A. Monkman, an elder, to the Nebraska Conference. C. A. Bloomquist, a member and a deacon in the third year of the course of study, to the Rock River Conference. J. A. Glendinning, an elder, to the Idaho Conference. William Zabilka, an elder, to the North India Conference.

W. W. Whitham, an elder, from the Nebraska Conference. G. V. Gray, a probationer, from the Southern Illinois Conference.

Question of Privilege.—Under a question of privilege the Secretary announced that a list of Treasurers to whom pastors and church treasurers should make remittance through the year would be compiled and published in the Year Book.

Announcements.—Announcements were made by the pastor, W. C. Wasser.

Exposition.—At 11:45, Bishop Stuntz gave the first address in a series of expositions of the Book of Acts, which he concluded with the benediction and the Conference stood adjourned for the day.

SECOND DAY

THURSDAY, September 2nd, 1920.

Opening.—Conference met at 8:30 a. m. After singing verses from several hymns, prayer was offered by C. L. Stafford, after which Bishop Stuntz called the session together for business.

Journal.—The minutes of the preceding session were read and approved as read.

Question One.—Question one was called: "Is this Annual Conference incorporated according to the requirements of the Discipline?" and answered in the affirmative.

Transfers.—The Bishop announced the following transfers: B. G. Hankins, an elder, to the Idaho Conference; C. G. Ellis, an elder, to the Nebraska Conference, and W. W. Bowers, an elder, from the New England Conference.

Question Sixteen.—Question sixteen was called: "Who have died?" The Secretary announced the death of J. E. Corley, and the Conference reverently stood while Bishop Stuntz offered prayer.

Year Books.—On motion of W. A. Longnecker it was ordered that 2500 copies of the Year Book be published; that the price to the members of the Conference be 25 cents per copy, and the sale price 30 cents per copy; and that the distribution be made on the basis of one copy to each seventeen members. It was also ordered that the Roll of the Dead be published the last year of each quadrennium only.

Roll.—The Secretary called the roll of the absentees from the first session. The following responded to their names: F. P. Frye, C. C. Goltry, P. H. Hawk, R. L. Patterson, T. S. Pool, W. L. Selby, D. C. Smith, U. B. Smith, W. A. Smith and G. H. Smith. Probationers: C. B. Rayhill, Forest A. Moore.

Introduced.—George Elliott, D. D., editor of the Methodist Review, was introduced and addressed the Conference. Elias Handy, of the Des Moines Conference, formerly pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at Grinnell, was introduced and spoke briefly.

Drew Seminary.—Bishop Stuntz read portions of a letter relative to the attendance, the student body, and the faculty of Drew Theological Seminary.

Episcopal Fund.—Bishop Stuntz read from a communication from the treasurer of the Episcopal Fund, announcing an apportionment of $2\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. of the salary, house rent included, based on the salary reported at the 1919 session.

Order of the Day.—On motion of W. R. Keesey the consideration of the Permanent Fund campaign was made the order of the day immediately after the reading of the journal Saturday morning.

Question of Privilege.—As a question of privilege A. M. Smith announced the receipt of a letter from his brother, H. N. Smith, extending greetings to the Conference.

Program.—On motion of J. H. Krenmyre, it was ordered that the time for the Bishop's address on the Book of Acts be changed from 11:45 to 11:30 a. m.

Question of Privilege.—As a question of privilege President U. S. Smith made an announcement regarding the College banquet on Friday evening, the bulletin of the College, and the faculty of the institution.

Fiscal Year.—On motion of C. B. Hankins it was ordered that the statistical and financial year close August 15th, 1921.

Introduced.—John Lowe Fort, representing the Committee on Conservation and Advance, was introduced and addressed the Conference. G. W. Isham, Area Secretary, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Referred.—On the vote of the Conference the following were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations: M. A. Banker and J. W. Carson for leave of absence; George Filmer for the retired relation. The following supernumerary ministers were also referred to this committee: P. H. Hawk, W. L. Selby, F. B. Tucker. All the men in the retired relation were also referred to this committee. G. D. Cox was also referred to this committee, and N. E. Moats to the Board of Examiners.

Introduced.—E. R. Zaring, Editor of the Northwestern Christian Advocate, was introduced and addressed the Conference. W. W. Whitman, an elder, from the Nebraska Conference, and C. C. Goltry, transferred a year ago, were introduced to the Conference.

Devotional Service.—The Bishop announced the appointment of C. B. Hankins, A. B. Cadwell and L. M. Grigsby to conduct fifteen minute devotional services on Friday, Saturday and Monday, respectively.

Introduced.—R. N. Holsaple, Superintendent of the Iowa Anti-Saloon League, was introduced and addressed the Conference. J. W. Hancher, Counsellor in Finance for the Board of Education, addressed the Conference.

Addresses.—On motion of J. W. Hancher the Committee on Program for the next session of the Conference was asked to request Thomas Osborn to deliver a series of four afternoon addresses on the Book of Revelation.

Appreciation.—On motion of J. W. Hancher the Conference, by rising vote, expressed its appreciation of the presence and ad-

dress of Dr. George Elliott, once pastor in Iowa and now Editor of the Methodist Review.

Excused.—On motion of E. J. Shook, J. W. Hancher was excused from further attendance at this session of the Conference.

Feature Program.—Prof. Earl A. Roadman of Upper Iowa University and three young people of the local church put on a very interesting Bible story telling contest after which Prof. Roadman gave an address on Rural Church Activities.

Committee.—On motion of J. H. Krenmyre a committee consisting of one from each district was named for the promotion of a Bible story telling contest in each church, district and the Conference. The committee consists of C. A. Field, L. L. Smith, L. H. Lanning and H. W. Munster.

Appreciation.—On motion of J. C. Kendrick the Conference by vote expressed its appreciation of the address of Prof. Roadman and the Bible stories by the young people.

Announcements.—The pastor, W. C. Wasser, and chairman of committee made the announcements.

Exposition.—The second address in the series on the Book of Acts was given by Bishop Stuntz, closing with prayer and the benediction and the Conference stood adjourned for the day.

THIRD DAY

FRIDAY, September 3rd, 1920.

Opening.—The Conference met at 8:30 a. m., with C. B. Hankins conducting the devotions, after which Bishop Stuntz called the session to order for business.

Journal.—The journal was read and approved.

Question of Privilege.—On behalf of the Treasurer and Statistician, C. A. Field presented the following statement which was accepted: We hereby express our thanks to the members of the Iowa Annual Conference for the response to the resolution of last year. At the opening of the session all reports save thirty were in and by the morning of the second day only three were delinquent. This response on the part of the brethren made it

possible for the boards to have the figures before the Conference at the close of the second day, and for this co-operation we are grateful.

Report.—C. A. Field reported that the Bible Story-telling Contests Committee had organized with C. A. Field chairman, and L. L. Smith as secretary.

Announcement.—Richard Collier announced that he had received notice that the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society at Pleasant Plains had contributed one hundred dollars this year, and on motion of T. J. Myers, the Treasurer was instructed to send the society a receipt therefor.

Question Number Five.—Question number five was called: "Who have been received on trial?" (a) In studies of first year. The names of the following were called, they came forward were introduced to the Conference, excused from the room, and then were represented by the Registrar and the District Superintendents: William G. Barr, Sherman E. Bushendorf, Charles L. Ellis, William M. Longnecker, Everett A. Sabin, Roy F. Sturgell, Arthur C. A. Swanson and James A. Worrell. The admission of James A. Worrell requiring a two-thirds vote of the Conference, the vote was taken and announced as unanimous. By vote of the Conference, the seven first named were then admitted on trial. (b) In studies of third year under Seminary Rule. None.

Question Number Six.—Question number six was called: "Who have been continued on trial?" (a) In studies of first year. Clem E. Burdine, Frank J. Day, Harry C. Frasier, Forest A. Moore, Wm. Craig Tinney, J. Earl Vandagriff, Edward D. Wahl, Roy C. Walker. (b) In studies of second year. Floyd M. Garrett, Robert Lee LeMott, Harold W. Singer. (c) In studies of third year. None. (d) In studies of fourth year. None. These men were represented by the Registrar, and on his motion were advanced or continued as indicated.

Question Number Seven.—Question number seven was called: "Who have been discontinued?" Newton E. Moats.

Question Number Eight.—Question eight was called: "Who have been admitted into full membership?" (a) Elected and ordained deacons this year. Charles C. Goltry, Myron E. Hayes,

Benjamin F. Schwartz. (b) Elected and ordained deacons previously. Charles B. Rayhill. These men were represented by the Registrar and on his motion action was taken as indicated.

Question Number Nine.—Question number nine was called: "What members are in studies of third year?" (a) Admitted into full membership this year. Charles C. Goltry, Myron C. Hayes, Benjamin F. Schwartz. (b) Admitted into full membership previously. Ermil B. Frye.

Question Number Ten.—Question ten was called: "What members are in studies of fourth year?" Clarence D. Loose, Jesse R. Rudkin, Wm. H. Slack, George H. Smith. These men were represented by the Registrar and on his motion action was taken as indicated.

Question Number Eleven.—Question eleven was called: "What members have completed the Conference course of study?" (a) Elected and ordained elders this year. Russell J. Arms, Clare H. Boos, Homer O. Hendrickson, John A. Moorman, Charles B. Rayhill. (b) Elected and ordained elders previously. None. (c) Elected and ordained elders under the Seminary Rule. None. These men were represented by the Registrar and on his motion action was taken as indicated.

On motion of Thomas Osborn, C. B. Rayhill was passed from the course of study.

Question Number Twelve.—Question twelve was called: "What others have been elected and ordained deacons?" (a) As local preachers. None. (b) Under missionary rule. None. (c) Under seminary rule. Benjamin F. Schwartz.

Question Number Thirteen.—Question thirteen was called: "What others have been elected and ordained elders?" (a) As local deacons. None. (b) Under missionary rule. None.

Dividends.—Bishop Stuntz announced the following dividends, and presented drafts therefor which were signed by the Bishop and the Secretary and passed to the Treasurer: From the Chartered Fund, \$35.00; from the Book Concern, ordinary, \$4,428.00; and extraordinary \$1,476.00.

Question Number Thirty-six.—Question thirty-six was called: "Where shall the next Conference be held?" The following resolution, signed by a number of the brethren, was read by the Secretary, and upon his motion adopted: Resolved, That the time has come that the Iowa Conference should take some step toward selecting a central location and plans for holding Conference sessions; therefore, be it resolved that we request the District Superintendents to appoint a committee of one from each district to select a place and present a plan at this session of the Conference. The following committee was appointed, W. S. Gardner, C. L. Tennant, L. M. Grigsby, Thomas Osborn.

Report.—W. A. Longnecker, Treasurer of the Preachers' Aid Society, made his report. (See report.) On motion of W. R. Keesey the Constitution of the Preachers' Aid Society was amended, making the initial payment two dollars, the dues on the death of a member, two dollars, and the benefit to the family of a deceased member two hundred dollars.

Introduced.—Miss A. Maude King, representing the Iowa National Bible Training School, was introduced and addressed the Conference. Charles M. Stuart, President of Garrett Biblical Institute, was introduced and addressed the Conference. I. N. Busby, M. D., retired member of the Iowa Conference, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Referred.—On motion of the Secretary the request of W. H. Heppe for change of relation was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

Transfers.—The Bishop announced the transfer of A. J. Behner, an elder, to the Rock River Conference, and J. F. Pritchard from the Southern Illinois Conference.

Announcements.—The Bishop announced that under the new legislation the District Superintendents are members of the Deaconess Board. The following were also announced as the Committee on Iowa National Bible Training School: F. E. Day, R. L. Patterson, George Blagg, C. B. Hankins.

Introduced.—L. O. Jones, representing the Iowa Methodist Hospital, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

White Cross Sunday.—On motion of J. W. Pool it was or-

dered that we approve the Sunday before Christmas as White Cross Sunday, and pledge ourselves to present the interests of this organization on that day, endeavoring to enroll all the membership of the church and congregation as members of the American White Cross for the support of the Iowa Methodist Hospital.

Committee on Hospitals.—On motion of H. F. Gilbert the action of the Conference and the financial report submitted by L. O. Jones were ordered incorporated in the report of the Committee on Hospitals..

Introduced.—Clarence True Wilson, Secretary of the Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals, was introduced and addressed the Conference. Mrs. Homer C. Stuntz and granddaughter, Ruth Florence Hunter, were called to the platform and introduced.

Admitted.—On the call of the Secretary, the following members of the class for admission came forward: Myron E. Hayes, Charles Goltry, Charles B. Rayhill and Benjamin F. Schwartz. The Bishop asked the required disciplinary questions to which they gave satisfactory answers. He then addressed the class and gave them the right hand of fellowship in welcome as members of the Iowa Conference, and closed the service with prayer.

Exposition.—Bishop Stuntz gave the third address in his exposition of the Book of Acts, which was concluded with prayer.

Picture.—On motion of R. L. Patterson the Conference was asked to stand for a picture outside the church at the conclusion of the session Saturday morning.

Announcements.—Announcements were made and the Conference adjourned.

FOURTH DAY

SATURDAY, September 4th, 1920.

Opening.—The Conference met at 8:30 a. m., with A. B. Cadwell in charge of the devotional service after which Bishop Stuntz called the session to order for business.

Journal.—The minutes of the preceding session were read and approved as read.

Announcements.—Bishop Stuntz announced the receipt of a letter from Hugh Neville, a member of this Conference, now connected with the Utah Mission and stationed at Salt Lake City, with a remittance of ten dollars for the Iowa Conference Permanent Fund.

Deaconess Board.—Bishop Stuntz announced that the Deaconess Board would be composed of A. A. Heath, C. E. Coggeshall, W. W. Bowers and W. C. Wasser.

Referred.—On motion U. D. Rumbaugh, J. R. Hanley, Roy C. Walker and Edward D. Wahl were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

Introduced.—S. T. Greenfield, D. D., of the Board of Conference Claimants, was introduced and addressed the Conference closing his address with the announcement of a draft for \$250.00 from the Board of Conference Claimants.

Order of the Day.—The order of the day was called and W. R. Keesey for the Iowa Conference Claimants Commission, presented the program recommended for the Permanent Fund Campaign, as follows:

PROGRAM FOR THE PERMANENT FUND CAMPAIGN

Your commission appointed to direct the campaign to bring our Permanent Fund to \$400,000 presents for action of the Conference the following program.

I. From September 6th to October 3rd, intensive publicity in which special effort will be made to enlist the local press in each community.

II. October 3rd. Pastor's Day. Every pastor will be expected to present the cause to his congregation without an appeal for subscriptions.

III. October 4th to 8th inclusive, intensive speaking publicity reaching every church in the conference under the direction of a system of exchange of pastors and in which it is very desirable that we enlist interested laymen.

IV. October 10th, Laymens' Day and launching day. On this day we ask our laymen to represent the cause in every church of the conference and definitely launch the campaign for subscriptions.

V. October 10th-31st. Intensive canvass for subscriptions

with the understanding that reports are to be received at the bulletined from the central office from October 17th-31st.

VI. In preparation for the plan, as outlined above, the administration purposes to secure, as necessary inspiration to the program and a guarantee of the accomplishment of our financial goal, a minimum of \$75,000 of big subscriptions, and call upon the pastors and laymen everywhere to co-operate in the same.

Finally we must realize that the success of the enterprise hinges upon the loyal support of every pastor and layman to the end that the quota be reached in every charge.

After considerable debate and the defeat of various amendments the report as submitted was adopted.

Introduced.—H. O. Chapman, Accountant for the Book Concern, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Report.—R. G. Popham, Treasurer of Iowa Conference Permanent Fund made his annual report. (See report.) On motion of A. B. Hightshoe the report was adopted and ordered published in the Year Book.

Election.—On motion of C. B. Hankins, the Secretary was instructed to cast the ballot of the Conference for C. A. Field, Statistician, and E. W. Stodghill, Treasurer, for the ensuing year, they to have authority to name their assisants.

Introduced.—W. S. Bovard, D. D., Secretary of the Board of Sunday Schools, was introduced and addressed the Conference on "An Adequate Program of Religious Education."

Afternoon Session.—On motion of H. F. Gilbert, M. E. Nethercut was instructed to invite the Laymen's Association to a joint session at 2:00 p. m.

Board of Examiners.—Bishop Stuntz asked Thomas Osborn to read the list of the Board of Examiners for the quadrennium as appointed by the Bishop. (See Boards.)

Announcements.—The pastor of the church and others made the necessary announcements.

Exposition.—Bishop Stuntz gave the fourth address in the series on the Book of Acts, closing with prayer and benediction after which the Conference stood adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Opening.—The Conference convened at 2:00 p. m., with Bishop Stuntz in the chair. A hymn was sung and a quartet of ministers, Revs. Tennant, Hehner, Fowler and Fix, sang two selections.

Joint Session.—The Layman's Association being present by invitation of the Conference, Bishop Stuntz invited their officers, President A. N. Jarvis and Secretary George E. Wahl, to seats on the platform and both officers made brief talks, following which Bishop Stuntz addressed the joint session on the mutual duties of laymen and ministers. The session closed with singing the hymn, "Blessed be the Tie that Binds."

Journal.—The journal of the morning session was read and approved.

Report.—Thomas Osborn read the report of the Committee on Conference Location. (See report.) On his motion the first three sections were adopted and the fourth was on motion of W. R. Keesey referred to the same committee for consideration through the year, with power to fix location of next Conference.

Transfer.—The transfer of E. J. Fairweather from the Genesee Conference was announced by Bishop Stuntz.

Introduced.—W. T. Macdonald of the Northwest Iowa Conference, representing the Wesley Foundation of Iowa, was introduced and addressed the Conference. On his request the Secretary read the resolution concerning the Wesley Foundation adopted by the Layman's Association.

Report.—H. F. Gilbert read the report of the Committee on Education. (See report.) On motion of H. B. Scoles the report except items 2 and 3 was adopted. The portions were read separately, and on motion of G. L. Minear the apportionments mentioned therein for University pastors and Wesley Foundation were fixed at 5 and 8 cents per member respectively, the 12 cents additional which the report called for, to be raised by the Financial Secretary.

Question of High Privilege.—As a question of high privilege J. C. Kendrick was recognized and he made a brief statement concluding with a request for the retired relation. On motion of F. E. Day the rules were suspended and the request of J. C. Kendrick was granted.

Board of Stewards.—J. W. Pool as Secretary of the Board of Stewards made a report with various recommendations regarding officers and naming A. B. Hightshoe as Secretary of the Conference Permanent Fund. On motion of J. W. Pool the report was adopted.

Introduction.—Burdette B. Brown, representing the Methodist Child Welfare Society, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Anniversary.—This being the twenty-fifth anniversary of the marriage of Rev. and Mrs. G. L. Minear, they were called to the front and Dr. C. L. Stafford, who had united them in marriage, in behalf of the ministers of the Muscatine District, presented them with twenty-five silver dollars. Dr. Miinear made a fitting and feeling response, following which the Conference stood adjourned by the expiration of time.

FIFTH DAY

SUNDAY, September 5th, 1920.

SUNDAY MORNING.

The services of the day commenced with the Love Feast at 9:00 a. m., with T. J. Myers in charge. This was followed by the service of worship at 10:30 a. m. under the direction of the pastor, Rev. W. C. Wasser. The sermon was delivered by Bishop Homer C. Stuntz and was based on the parables in the 15th chapter of the Gospel of St. Luke.

AFTERNOON.

At 2:00 p. m. a number of infants were baptized by Bishop Stuntz, following which the memorial service was directed by T. J. Myers, chairman of the Committee on Memoirs. Suitable hymns were sung and the Iowa Conference quartette gave a number. Prayer was offered by Thomas Osborn after which the annual memorial sermon was given by J. W. Pool. Memoirs were read as follows;—that of J. E. Corley by W. A. Longnecker; of Mrs. C. W. Sheperd by J. C. Caughlan; of Mrs. Runyon by J. C. Kendrick; of Mrs. James W. Latham by T. J. Myers. Bishop Stuntz then gave a brief address in memory of the two Bishops who passed away during the year: John H. Vincent and Matthew S. Hughes.

The ordination service was held immediately after as indicated in the following certificate:

CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION.

This is to certify that on the fifth day of September, nineteen hundred and twenty, I ordained after election by the Iowa Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, Charles C. Goltry, Myron E. Hayes and Benjamin F. Schwartz as deacons: And at the same time and place, assisted by Bishop W. F. McDowell and several elders, I ordained as elders, Russell J. Arms, Clare H. Boos, Homer O. Henderickson, John A. Moorman and Charles B. Rayhill. HOMER C. STUNTZ, Presiding Bishop.

Grinnell, Iowa, September 5, 1920.

EVENING.

The evening service was held in the First Congregational church, where Bishop W. F. McDowell gave an address on the subject, "Life Service."

SIXTH DAY

MONDAY, September 6th, 1920.

Opening.—L. M. Grigsby, by appointment of the Bishop, conducted the opening service.

Journal.—The journal for Saturday and record for Sunday were read, corrected and approved.

Transfer.—The Bishop announced the transfer of Louverne C. Hicks, a probationer in the first year of the course of study, from the Northwest Nebraska Conference.

Question of Privilege.—H. B. Scoles, on a question of privilege, asked that his vote in opposition to the motion to amend the report of the Committee on Education, relating to the Wesley Foundation, be made a matter of record.

Referred.—On motion of E. J. Shook, E. A. Schell was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

Correction.—On motion of E. J. Shook, the record of 1919 was corrected as follows: It was voted to cancel the note held by the Conference against the Fairfield Circuit parsonage trustees.

Report.—J. F. Barnett made the report of the Committees on Conference Relations, and on their recommendation Myron R. French was received into full membership from the Nazarene church, and on his credentials he was recognized as an elder.

On the same recommendation Treverton Warren was received into full membership from the Congregational church and his orders recognized as an elder.

On the recommendation of this committee Roy C. Walker and Edward D. Wahl were continued in the same relation.

J. W. Carson and M. A. Banker were granted leave of absence for one year under paragraph 186 of the Discipline.

E. A. Schell, W. H. Heppe and J. R. Hanley were given the supernumerary relation.

W. L. Selby was continued in the supernumerary relation.

P. H. Hawk was made effective, and F. B. Tucker was continued in the supernumerary relation by two-thirds vote of the Conference, and on motion of H. F. Gilbert he was asked to locate a year hence.

On recommendation of this committee G. D. Cox and U. D. Rumbaugh were continued on the same relation and requested to locate a year hence.

On recommendation of this committee, George Filmer was granted the retired relation.

Question Three.—Question three was called: "Who have been readmitted?" None.

Question Four.—Question four was called: "Who have been received on credentials and from what churches?" Myron R. French, an elder, from the Nazarene church; Treverton Warren, an elder, from the Congregational church.

Question Seventeen.—Question seventeen was called: "Who have been located at their own request?" None.

Presented.—Bishop W. F. McDowell was presented and addressed the Conference regarding candidates for the ministry.

Introduced.—Perry O. Hanson of the North China Conference, representing the Board of Foreign Missions, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Reports.—C. A. Field made the report of the Committee on Bible Story-Telling Contests, and also gave his report as Statistician. U. S. Smith, President of Iowa Wesleyan College, gave his report. The Conference Historian, H. C. Millice, made his annual report. These reports were adopted or accepted as needful and ordered published. See reports.

Reconsideration.—On motion of Thomas Osborn, the Conference voted to reconsider the action of Saturday relative to the expense of entertainment at Conference. After discussion and various motions, which failed, it was moved as a substitute, by C. L. Tennant, that the report be published as a suggested program and that it be presented to each Quarterly Conference, and the Conference so voted. On motion of Thomas Osborn the District Superintendents were made a Committee on Permanent Place for holding the Conference.

Next Session.—W. R. Keeseey, pastor at Mt. Pleasant, extended an invitation to the Conference to meet there next year, and the invitation was heartily accepted.

Introduced.—Hugh C. Stuntz, son of Bishop Stuntz, representing the Board of Sunday Schools in South America, was introduced and spoke briefly.

Reports.—H. W. Munster made the report of the Committee on Prorating. On motion of A. B. Hightshoe the report was referred back to the Committee for consideration of matters left over from last year. Later the Committee reported on these matters and on motion this portion of the report was laid on the table.

R. L. Patterson reported for the Deaconess Board, and on his motion the report was adopted.

J. W. Pool made the report of the Board of Stewards, which was amended in the part regarding the apportionment to the charges for Conference Claimants, the District Superintendents being instructed to make the apportionment on the basis of the cash salary and membership.

F. E. Day made the report of the Committee on Iowa National Bible Training School, which on his motion was adopted.

M. E. Nethercut reported for the Committee on Temperance, and on his motion it was adopted. He then made a supplementary report, which on motion of T. J. Myers, was adopted.

C. S. Cooper, Conference Temperance Agent, presented his report without reading and the same was accepted.

Lloyd Tennant made the report for the Committee on Hospitals and also for the Committee on Epworth Leagues and on his motion these reports were adopted.

F. S. Seeds reported for the Committee on Periodicals, and on his motion the report was adopted.

J. C. Behrens made the report of the Committee on Sunday Schools, and on his motion the report was adopted.

W. B. Ireland made the report for the Committee on District Conference Records and the same was accepted.

J. S. Decker made the report for the Committee on the State of the Country, which on his motion was adopted. See reports.

Year Books.—On motion of H. B. Scoles, the Secretaries were instructed to send free copies of the Year Book to widows of ministers.

Report.—On motion of C. B. Hankins, the Business Manager of the Board of Publishers was given leave to file his report for publication without reading.

Expenses.—On motion of C. B. Hankins, the expenses of officers of the Conference were allowed and a check for \$15.00 was ordered for the care-taker of the Grinnell Methodist Episcopal church.

Report.—On motion of C. A. Field the report of the Treasurer was ordered printed without reading.

Expense Fund.—W. C. Wasser reported that he had received \$52.00 from the district collectors to repay Dr. J. M. M. Gray.

Journal.—On motion of W. R. Keesey the minutes of the present session were accepted without reading.

Adjournment.—On motion of E. J. Shook it was ordered that after the reading of the report of the Committee on Resolutions, and the reading of the appointments, that the Conference stand adjourned.

Report.—O. J. Fix read the report of the Committee on Resolutions. The portion complimentary to Bishop Stuntz was adopted by a rising vote of the Conference, the motion being put

by the Secretary. On motion of O. J. Fix the report as a whole was adopted. See reports.

Question of Privilege.—As a question of privilege W. H. Perdew made a statement relative to the Permanent Fund Campaign in the Ottumwa District.

Appointments.—Bishop Stuntz made a few remarks regarding the work of the session, and the ensuing year, and read the appointments, concluding with the Doxology and Benediction.

HOMER C. STUNTZ, Presiding Bishop.

W. A. LONGNECKER, Secretary.

ATTEST OF THE MINUTES.

We hereby certify that the foregoing minutes, together with the published reports, is a correct report of the proceedings of the Iowa Annual Conference.

HOMER C. STUNTZ, Presiding Bishop.

W. A. LONGNECKER, Secretary.

Grinnell, Iowa, September 6, 1920.

IX

REPORTS.—DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS

BURLINGTON DISTRICT

DEAR BISHOP STUNTZ AND BRETHREN:

With gratitude to God for His tender mercies, and appreciation of the hospitality and kindness of the parsonage families and laymen of the District, I bring this report:

1. **Work of the Year.** The majority of the churches in the District have had special meetings, resulting in a total of about one thousand conversions. While some very successful meetings were held, I believe that the outlook for revivals is better now than at the beginning of the year. Our pastors have been evangelistic in their preaching. They have preached no uncertain note, but Christ, our Redeemer and Savior. Sinners have been converted and the church edified. Our church services have had a healthy average attendance with an increasing number of men in evidence.

The Sunday School is a growing factor in our church work. The organized class is a fruitful source of additions. Especially is this true of the men's classes. There can be no question as to the value of the graded work. But this cannot be successfully carried on without a Teachers' Training Class, which is a difficult thing to maintain in this hurrying age.

The Epworth and Junior Leagues are doing good work and are both worthy of more encouragement. Our task in the Junior work still is to find superintendents and teachers. Mrs. Nellie Ford, of the Chicago office, was a great help to us in both Leagues in her Institute work, but especially in the line of Junior League methods.

Not all of our churches maintain mid-week prayer meetings. Nor are those maintained well attended. But the prayer meeting is as essential as ever and those who avail themselves of this fellowship find it a means of Grace. If we had more prayer meetings we would have more revivals and make stronger Christians of those who are converted from time to time.

The first session of the District Conference was held in Winfield. The special features of the program were addresses by Dr. Powell, of the Stewardship Department, and by Dr. Gilbert in behalf of the Permanent Fund Campaign. The main theme of the program was the revival, and all went away from the conference refreshed and determined to do their best to win souls. The spring session was held in connection with the League Institute in Bluff Park. While this plan was taken as a matter of assisting the launching of the Institute, I do not think it best to continue it thus. We should hold our spring session as a distinctively District Conference.

I have previously referred to the District Institute which was held the latter part of June in Bluff Park. This was our first attempt to hold a Standard Institute and it was very satisfactory. President Bentzinger and his cabinet put on a good program, choosing most of their faculty from our own Conference men, of whom Dr. Tennant was the dean. These men gave their services freely and willingly. They came well prepared and did good work. Above thirty young people responded to the Life Service Call, three of them young men for the ministry.

The Women's Auxiliaries both had good annual conventions and are making splendid reports to this Conference. You will find it interesting to note the amount of money these women are gathering up for the kingdom. One church has a report of over \$2,000 for the two societies.

The Ladies' Aid continues to be an important organization in the church. They have raised thousands of dollars during the year and greatly promoted the social life of the churches.

Sunday morning, November 30, Dr. Ray Moore, of California, preached to the delight and edification of our congregation in Birmingham. Hardly had the people reached their homes when the fire alarm notified them that the building in which they had just been worshipping and hearing the Word, would soon be an ash heap. With heavy hearts, but nevertheless heroic, they, with their pastor, the Rev. H. W. Munster, while the flames were finishing their work, began a subscription list for the purpose of building better than ever. They now have, in pledges and cash, twenty-one thousand dollars and will let the contract for the new building as soon as a reasonable bid can be had.

Church projects are in process at Fort Madison First church and also in Fairfield First, but the high cost of material makes it unwise, if not next to impossible, to try to build at the present time.

Brother Smith and his people are happy in the liquidation of their entire debt of over \$1,400 on the Farmington church. They deserve our congratulations. Burlington Grace church began under the leadership of Brother Fowler, and have completed, by the splendid help of the present pastor, E. W. Stodghill, the elimination of their debt and the repairing and improvement of their church and parsonage. They have raised about \$3,000. Danville has almost \$7,000 subscribed for the enlarging and repairing of their church. Batavia did a thousand dollars' worth of repairing and redecorating. Santa Fe Avenue, Ft. Madison, has paid a little over \$1,600 on their church and parsonage debt. Libertyville, Finley, on the Wayland charge. West Burlington, Montrose, New London, Burlington Circuit, Mt. Union, and Mt. Pleasant Circuit have each expended from a few dollars up to several hundred on repairs and improvements.

The Centenary collections have been pretty carefully looked after. I distributed 2,000 copies of the pamphlet written by our Bishop, entitled "Centenary Money. Getting It and Spending It Thus Far." I have heard of only a few who were not ready and willing to make their second payments. If our subscribers are kept informed as to the work being done, and if we teach our tithers in the way, and continue to instruct our church in the matter of stewardship, there need be no question about collecting the Centenary. If we use as much pep and ingenuity in the next few years in teaching stewardship as we have in the last two in developing "drives," we will have both more religion and more money.

Our salaries have increased, this year and last, about ten thousand dollars. But even such an increase is not adequate and we now have pledges which will show several thousand increase for next year. I know no families who are practicing more rigid economy than are the majority of our preacher families. But in spite of much self-denial and strict frugality, many of our preachers have come to the close of the year "in the red."

Our laymen did a brave and generous thing last year in fixing the salary minimum at \$1,400. But that is not sufficient for this year. It should go to \$1,700.

For another year I have lived by the side of Iowa Wesleyan. I have met her students, sat in her councils of her Board of Trustees and know something of her spirit, of her work, and of her purpose. I am glad to say to Iowa Conference Methodism that their college is worthy of their money, their children, and their prayers. Dr. Smith is giving himself might, soul, and spirit to his work and is receiving, as he so well deserves, our co-operation and faith.

The campaign for the Conference Permanent Fund has been well organized in our District. Dr. Gilbert has, by literature and public address, kept the matter before the people. The church recognizes the righteousness of this cause and will, I believe, make quick and good response.

2. **Looking Forward.** In our District hundreds of farms have changed hands in the last eighteen months. The drift is toward larger farms. Especially is this true in the sections of high-priced land. As a result, many of our charges have a smaller population than they had two years ago. This means adjustment, and, in some instances, relocation. Some speakers and writers, on "The Country Church," are overlooking the fact that adjustment and relocation does not always mean decadence. We have many strong churches in the country. Be it also said: we have well-to-do families who have cars and could easily drive into town, who are loyally standing by their church in the country. Of course, it is true that some congregations and Sunday Schools are too small to work with any hope of success. Their people are discouraged, their young people are drifting away, and the whole situation lacks grip and momentum. In such cases there must be readjustment. Some church houses will have to be moved, others sold. But to move or sell a building does not always mean the death of the country church. Rather it should mean the strengthening of it. I am in hearty accord with all the plans for up-to-the-minute rural work. I wish that our "Schools for Rural Pastors" came at a time in the year when we superintendents could attend. The work being done at Ames, in the interest of the country church, is to be commended. But after all of this is said, we must keep in mind that we need more than anything else, a stronger course in our own hearts in the school of personal experience. An experience of personal, glowing, passion for souls. It does not matter greatly how much a country preacher knows about farming and stock raising (he must have his knowledge in money raising) but it does matter tremendously how much he knows about and of the saving and keeping Grace of God. Our country women know how to keep house and cook, and our farmers know how to farm. They also know something of the good roads question. But, O brethren of the ministry, many of them do not know God. Many of them do not know how to live, how to make a life. Our first business is to edify the saints and lead sinners to Christ.

The "Unit System" is gradually coming into its own. The church that is leaving most of the work to be done by the pastor or remain undone, is making no progress. But the church which is working, that is distributing its leadership after the fashion of the Unit System, is making headway.

We had, last fall, evangelistic rallies in each group center of the District. In these we planned and organized for the co-operation of the entire group. It is the purpose of the District to follow this plan for the coming year. Our Epworth Leagues are hoping to have the service of our District Deaconess, Miss Williams, who will be a great

help with her singing and personal work. Our prayer has been and will continue to be, until a revival sweeps over the entire District, "O Lord, revive Thy work."

3. **Health.** Only two of our men have been seriously ill during the year. Brother Newsom of Mediapolis, and Brother Richards of Yarmouth, both underwent operations, and are now good as new. Our esteemed brother, G. M. Tuttle, is bereaved in the death of his only son Arthur Barnes Tuttle, which occurred at Tucson, Ariz., on August 26, in the fortieth year of his age. He was an alumnus of I. W. C., of the class of 1903, a teacher, and a devout Christian.

4. **Close.** In the face of the armies and the walled cities of the enemy; in the face of strutting giants of iniquity, I join the minority report of the Survey Committee, and with Caleb say, "Let us go up at once, and possess it, for we are well able to overcome it."

Respectfully submitted,

E. J. SHOOK.

MUSCATINE DISTRICT

DEAR BISHOP STUNTZ AND BRETHREN:

Upon my appointment to this district a year ago, I found a splendid organization and an optimistic spirit of service prevailing which reflect much credit to my predecessor, Dr. H. F. Gilbert.

In my new field I found, to me, new difficulties and new problems; but I also found new joys and new opportunities of service. And, in my personal experience the joy of service has eclipsed the dismay at difficulties and problems. Thanks be unto God whose grace, mercy and peace have been granted unto me throughout the year.

I have preached one hundred and seventy-nine times; have administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper sixty-nine times; have held a number of prayer meetings and testimony services, some of which were the old-fashioned love feast with the distribution of bread and water. I have presided over two sessions of the District Conference, held one hundred and forty-six quarterly conferences, besides a number of other business meetings.

Thirty-nine Methodist preachers are serving within the bounds of the Muscatine District, twelve of whom are supplies. Besides the thirty-seven charges printed in the Year Book, L. A. Crull is in charge at Gladwin, and W. H. Slack at Eureka. Of the thirty-seven charges, twenty-two are stations, eight are two-point works, six are three-point works, and one is a four-point circuit. I know of ten country and village Methodist churches where we have no preaching service. During the past year the Pleasant Plains church on the Brighton charge, and the Zion church on the Ladora charge, abandoned for some time, but held by the trustees at the head of the charge, have been sold and the money received will be used in improving the property at the head of the charge.

The general health of the pastors and their families, with a few exceptions, has been good. Mrs. David Phillips, who was in a serious condition in the hospital during our session a year ago, was sufficiently recovered after a few weeks to return home and is now in her usual health. Early last fall the health of our beloved brother, J. A. Glendinning, broke and he was compelled to seek relief in a change of climate. After resting four months in Florida, he was appointed to

First church, Boise, Idaho. Brother and Sister W. S. Moore, after the death of their daughter Mary, were for some weeks in greatly impaired health. Brother and Sister Burdock had serious attacks of pneumonia following the influenza. Brother Brooks narrowly escaped death in the fire which destroyed the Tiffin parsonage and church. He was in the hospital for weeks, suffering with burns and pneumonia. There were other cases of influenza and various disorders, but in the goodness of God the pastors are all again in good health and are aggressive in their work for the Lord.

In the appointments a year ago, two charges, Amish and Riverside, were left to be supplied. I secured Geo. W. Younkin, a located elder of this Conference, for Amish. He has served faithfully and well. For Riverside I secured J. J. Yost, a supernumerary member of the Upper Iowa Conference, then taking work on a Doctor's degree at Iowa City. He asked to be released the first of March and I induced R. Collier, just returned from wintering in California, to fill out the year. Both these brethren have cared well for the interests of the charge.

During the year the Muscatine District has let the influence of its personnel reach distant fields in the Kingdom of God. Brother Glendenning is filling a strategic place in the west. Bishop Stuntz appointed W. W. Bowers, of Salem, Mass., to succeed him in our important church in Washington. Brother Bowers has surely won the hearts of the people and has taken hold of the work with a masterly hand. During five months, in the absence of Glendenning and prior to the coming of Bowers, the church was well cared for by the sweet-spirited, untiring and efficient labors of T. F. Barker. Hugh Neville was asked to take charge of the centenary program at Heath church, Salt Lake City, Utah; and after careful consideration he accepted. His superintendent tells me that Brother Neville is having marked success in a very difficult field. He writes, asking to be kindly remembered to the members of this conference, in which he retains his membership. J. G. Vanatta has finished the year at Oxford. On February 1st I released William Zabilka from charge at Wilton that he might go to his chosen work in India. By letter he tells me that with his family he reached India safely and is now busy in his work. He sends his word of greeting to you and asks the prayers of the Conference that his labors may be blessed of God. In the middle of February I appointed C. D. Loose to Wilton, and the first of March secured C. D. Nash for Muscatine North. Both these brethren have done good work in their new fields. Nash is a local preacher from the Cedar charge.

In matters of finance, the local budget has been well taken care of by the charges. The estimate for pastoral support, in the aggregate, was increased \$10,287, almost one-fourth over that of the previous year; but still the support is inadequate for meeting the legitimate needs of the pastors. Most of the charges shared in the increase, and in almost if not quite every case the estimate has been paid in full. Some charges have fixed an increase for the coming year.

Charges increasing pastoral support for the year which is closing are as follows: \$100 increase, Ainsworth, Letts, Lexington and North Liberty; Columbus City added \$121; \$150 increase, Kalona, Muscatine North, Webster, and West Chester; \$200 increase, Amish, Keota, Oxford and Sweetland; Brighton added \$250! \$300 increase, Lone Tree, Victor, Wellman and Williamsburg; \$350 increase, North English, and Riverside including help from the Snyder fund; \$400 increase, Marengo, West Liberty, and Wilton for the latter part of the year; \$500

increase, Guernsey and Nichols. Ladora-Kosztka, a \$1,200 charge, was divided a year ago. This year Ladora paid \$1200 and Kosztka-Walnut paid \$1600. Oakville, a \$1100 charge, was divided and Fairview-Toolsboro paid this year \$1300, and Oakville-Huron paid \$1400. Tiffin which had little service and paid little the previous year, paid the pastor \$1000 this year.

Fairview, in Louisa county, sets an example for all other country churches. Located at a country cross-roads, the local budget of \$1735 was cheerfully paid, and the Fourth Quarterly Conference without hesitation voted unanimously to accept a local budget for the coming year of \$2010. Ten men, not all members, paid \$100 each and will do so again.

As to the offerings for the benevolences, judging from the reports in hand, the total from the district will exceed that of last year. Some charges have met their full quota, but many have not. Money has been plentiful but in the multitude of demands for money coming from every direction, for extravagant and selfish pleasure as well as for Christlike and unselfish sacrifice, our people have not learned to regard themselves as stewards of God's property and to consecrate the tithe to the Lord.

The system of proportionate giving as represented in the tithe is the scriptural and the only proper method for financing the Kingdom of God.

The White Cross was presented by the pastors and received a generous response over the district as the treasurer's report will show.

A number of our young people from the district attended Iowa Wesleyan; I wish the number might be doubled the coming year. They all speak in highest praise of President Smith and his administration. I rejoice in the loyalty of our pastors to our own college. She has done much for Iowa Conference and the world. Let us do more for her and she will do more for the world.

We held the fall session of the District Conference at Wellman, the Spring session at South English. The W. F. M. S. held her district convention at Letts; that of the W. H. M. S. was at Williamsburg. The District Epworth League convention was entertained at Washington. All these gatherings, each in its own sphere, gave information and inspiration. A number of Sunday School Group Rallies were held on the Webster, Lexington and other charges.

Dr. Gilbert held group meetings over the district in the interest of the Permanent Fund. Some group chairmen also held such meetings. I am sure their influence will be helpful in the campaign in October. I believe the charges of this District will reach their quota for this much-needed and important fund.

This has not been a year marked by improvement of church and parsonage property. At Brighton a new basement and furnace installed under the parsonage and a debt of \$1000 was lifted. The Keota parsonage was reroofed and refitted inside. Lexington and Pilotsburg have new electric lights. These with other improvements on that charge, cost \$1100. Wapello has installed a bathroom and furnished the parsonage with a new front porch; built a splendid entrance to church and church basement, and painted both parsonage and church at a total cost of about \$2,500. Nichols has paid their parsonage debt of nearly \$1,000; Williamsburg has paid about \$2000 on their church indebtedness. Gladwin has a new church basement, nearing completion. Some other improvements over the district have been made.

We suffered a great loss in church property, when on February

27th our parsonage and church at Tiffin burned to the ground. Pastor Brooks believes that it was by divine intervention that his life was spared. He lost all his household goods, but that gave occasion for a fine demonstration of brotherly love. His many friends were not slow to seize the opportunity, and ministers and laymen sent him tokens of their love and esteem. It will cost the church \$20,000 to replace the buildings. Of this amount, \$10,000 is in sight, including \$3,800 insurance. In addition, we have the promise of help from the Centenary. The Tiffin people hope to have a new church building enclosed before winter.

We have made special effort throughout the year to promote evangelism. Many pastors have not reported, but from the reports in hand, I estimate that between five hundred and six hundred persons have been converted. Most pastors have been their own evangelists. Some have exchanged work. A few have had help either in singing or in preaching or in both.

Consider this whole subject of evangelism for a moment. How earnest (?) and efficient (?) we are! Thirty-seven pastors more than one thousand members of quarterly conference, about ten thousand members of church; and in twelve months, five hundred conversions. It takes an average of twenty church members, two of them in official relation, working (?) twelve months to lead one soul to Christ. I leave out of the count the fact that hundreds of teachers and workers in Sunday School and League are supposed to be busy, each winning one to Jesus.

Or, working with his helpers, each pastor averages one conversion a month. Oh, Methodism, why this small result? We have the machinery, but we lack the power.

My brethren, I am filled with shame. Our Lord said: "All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth. Go ye therefore, and Lo, I am with you always," Matt. 28, 18-20. Here we are. A division of the Lord's army; more than 10,000 strong, winning five hundred recruits in twelve long months. Brethren, my heart earnestly yearns for "the time of refreshing." Oh, that God would pour out His Holy Spirit upon us and clothe us with power in this annual session of our Conference that the coming year may bring to us a return of deep consecration of ministry and laity, old-time conviction for sin; repentance and faith. A great revival is coming, but it must begin in the church. Oh, God, send it now and let it begin in my own heart.

Brethren, what of the coming year? I wish every pastor would make a careful survey of his field and put it into permanent form that will be useable and practicable in promoting his own efficiency. Let the village and country pastor prepare a map of his charge and record the data which will help in his work. Let every pastor organize his charge under the plan of the unit system and work that system to the best of his ability.

Two things this year must receive special emphasis, the Permanent Fund and Evangelism. For the promotion of these and all district work let the chairmen of the Groups-of-Charges organize the groups and with team work of both ministers and laymen push forward all the church work in the various charges. Let every pastor with sympathy and earnestness and tactfulness utilize the Senior and the Junior Epworth Leagues in promoting religious life and experience among our young people.

The campaign for the Permanent Fund should be completed quickly and the quota met fully that evangelism may early have the right

of way. Though we do not discredit the work of traveling evangelists, I trust the pastors and the churches of the Muscatine District will depend upon God and themselves for success in evangelism. Organize every church under the Unit System and insist on personal evangelism by pastor and people. Make every regular or special service evangelistic. Pray, organize, preach and work for conversions. Cry mightily unto God for an outpouring of the Holy Ghost, and fit yourselves by prayer and scriptural study for the enduement of power. Wait, not passively, but actively and constantly wait upon God for a deepening of the religious life; for a quickening of holy and intelligent zeal; for a vision of Christ that will induce us to crucify self and enthrone our Lord in our own lives. When the conditions laid down by Jesus are met, then conviction, powerful conviction, will fall in the church and out of it, souls will be converted and the church will rejoice.

With gratitude to God and to His Christ for the protecting and guiding presence of the Holy Spirit; with gratitude to the pastors and their families, and to the churches for their kindness, for their forbearance and for their co-operation. I humbly lay at the Master's feet the work of another Conference year and to my brethren respectfully submit this report,

GEORGE L. MINEAR.

OSKALOOSA DISTRICT

Oskaloosa District is composed of the greater portion of five of the richest counties in this highly favored state; not only a land that "flows with milk and honey," but that abounds in everything needful for the comfort and well-being of man. Here we have strong and well-established churches maintaining themselves and contributing liberally to our benevolences, and old fields that were once prosperous but are now without pastors while deserted churches are rotting to the ground, fields demanding to be organized on a purely missionary basis, fields that would yield rich returns in a very short time.

The task of putting on record for a year the religious work of a body of men and churches is a difficult one, much of the work of saving men's souls and building their characters lies outside of the range of observation. Some of the agencies are so subtle in their workings and the results so different in their manifestations that no accurate summing up of them can be made. The preparation of men for their work is so varied, their temperament so different, and the conditions under which they are placed so divergent that an attempt to summarize results is at the peril of over-credit to some and injustice to others. There are places so difficult and destitute of all support that for a man, usually a young man, to hold the Standard in its place and keep the wavering line from falling back is victory worthy of the highest recognition—there are other places on the line of battle so well sustained that not to make advance and win victory is to lose opportunities that may never return.

The men on this District, as a body, are manly, faithful and devoted Christian ministers, and with the help of good wives and the blessing of God have been able to render successful service to the Church. Some have known sacrifices which have been cheerfully accepted, and others have suffered afflictions which have been patiently borne; to make special mention where all have done so well, would be unwise.

Six charges on the district were left to be supplied last conference. In response to an advertisement in the *Advocates*, I secured one young man out of the few who applied. How different my results from those

of a like advertisement by my second presiding elder who received one hundred and fifty applications in a short time. That comparison brings no comfort to the analytical mind.

On my return from Conference, sad at heart at being no longer able to sing: "A charge to keep I have," I was confronted with an S. O. S. call to spend Saturday evening and all of Sunday on the Reasoner charge, where the pastor, Brother Moore, had the audacity to buy a Presbyterian church at Galesburg, and without my knowledge or consent, had raised all the money to pay for the same—and he and the entire official board met me, asking that I give my approval to the whole transaction! Now, brethren, this being the first time in my life that I had ever had anything to do with buying, building, or repairing a church building without being approached for my contribution thereto, the shock was so great that without looking at the Discipline I freely gave them my approval and blessing without reservations. The Board were not willing that the old church building should be used for any other purpose, so decided to sell the lumber to the highest bidder and use the proceeds to beautify the new building. This circuit can support two pastors as soon as men are available. The vacancies were supplied with students, most of whom have done excellent work and under difficult circumstances have won their way to the hearts of the people. Brother Gray, a Methodist Protestant preacher has had charge of the Knoxville circuit eleven months of the year, with the approval of the entire circuit.

Changes in Pastors. On April 1st, Dr. Heppe asked to be relieved from the pastorate at Newton, and Dr. C. B. Hankins was secured to take this important charge, his ministry is being wonderfully owned of God in that growing city, and the members of the board at Newton are to be congratulated on the wisdom of their choice.

In June Brother Jesse Monkman, who had won all hearts in the congregation at Hedrick, asked to be transferred to Nebraska, because of the continued ill-health of his wife, and Brother W. W. Whitman of the Nebraska Conference, came to take up the work at Hedrick, he has handled the situation with a master hand and is much appreciated by everyone interested in the welfare of the Church.

During the year, Cedar has repaired her church and parsonage; Grinnell decorated the church in which we meet; Harvey decorated and repaired their church; Hedrick has made extensive improvements on church and parsonage; Knoxville is remodeling their building and will have a large and commodious, modern church when the work is completed. Lacey has improved parsonage and beautified the church. At Fremont, under the guiding hand of pastor Carson, a basement has been finished with modern improvements, a new heating plant installed; they are making other improvements and when completed this church will have practically a new building that will meet every need; What Cheer, through the untiring efforts of Brother Kennedy, has secured pledges for \$30,000 for a new building, has purchased a central site and will begin work on the same in early spring. These results could hardly have been realized without a partial promise from the Home Board that a certain amount would be available from the Centenary fund. The figures of these and other smaller improvements will appear in the pastor's reports. At Tracy by the wise generalship of Brother Filmer, a troublesome debt of \$1600 was paid, and the people now face the future with confidence and courage. This was indeed a happy way for Brother Filmer to celebrate his forty-ninth year in the Methodist ministry, but is characteristic of the man and of the kind of work he's been doing all along the way. At the proper time I will ask that

he be relieved of the responsibility of a charge that he and his faithful wife may enjoy the remaining years of life in quietness and peace.

Twenty-six charges increased the salary in amounts ranging from one to five hundred dollars, the total increase amounting to over six thousand five hundred dollars.

The Sunday Schools are accomplishing a work for the Kingdom that we cannot record, figures can never express the actual results of the unselfish devotion of that large army of unpaid and often unappreciated teachers and officers who give of their time and their talents so freely and at times with criticism as their only visible reward, the "In-as-much" of our Lord, however, will one day be theirs, and that will more than compensate for their weary hours of toil and preparation.

The Epworth League is coming back to its former glory and is in great favor all over the District. Epworthians invariably exhibit an evangelistic spirit and are loyal to the church. The District Convention held at Newton was a great success and its influence was felt throughout the District.

The call to Evangelistic Endeavor was heartily responded to by the pastors, revival efforts being put forth on nearly every charge, some adopting the suggested method of grouping of charges, others securing evangelistic help while others did their own work with a measure of success. Results were far from being what we had hoped, but conditions were far from being ideal, and most of the pastors did heroic work under very discouraging conditions. Plans and suggestions all have their place, but can never supplant the Gethsemane Passion—that caused John Knox to cry, "Give me Scotland or I die!" Over six hundred and fifty conversions were reported, for which we give hearty thanks to God, but we have no doubt that if the superintendent and his pastors could have prayed as David Brainard prayed, the number would have been much greater.

We have sought in every congregation to keep before the minds of the people the close relation that exists between the spiritual life of the church and the benevolent enterprises which give outward expression to that life. Where the call of the Centenary was accepted by the local church as the call of God and entered into whole-heartedly, it has left a fragrance like incense from the altar; but where it was opposed or ignored, the members are sullen, critical and unhappy, they seek to justify their attitude by believing false reports as to the wise use of the money received, or by magnifying the needs of the local church for the money they withheld and are not willing to use in either place. Without a single exception it is the church that gives freely to the missionary enterprises that takes best care of the home base.

What the result of our efforts has been, will be shown in the reports. We can only say we have tried to do our best for each claim upon the district without fear or favor.

A personal word in conclusion: My ambition has been to work to the limit of my physical strength, to live at peace with God and my brethren, to keep their interests in my mind and near my heart. I have missed but few appointments, have been kindly dealt with by an appreciative people, have no complaints, and am thankful to God that inasmuch as He has given me hard work to do, He has given strength and disposition to do it; that I have been surrounded by the glory of His presence, His providences opening my way, easing my work, overruling my errors, and comforting the companion of my life,

giving her strength to weave into the garment of a beautiful life, disappointment, suffering and lonely hours, for so it seemeth good in His sight. I rejoice in Him today, recognizing myself as an insolvent debtor to God and the Methodist church, and only ask to be kept worthy of my brethren, and to have some place where I can do hard work for my Master.

J. M. BROWN.

OTTUMWA DISTRICT

Bishop Stuntz and Brethren of the Conference: With glad acknowledgment of Divine favor and a deep appreciation of cordial help of the pastors and laymen in the work of the year, I present to the Conference this annual report for the Ottumwa District.

"Ministerial Supply. Though we have found it increasingly difficult to secure ministers, we have been able to supply all vacancies, and the year closes with every charge on the district in the care of a pastor.

Pastoral Support.—Living prices of the day compel the attention of Quarterly Conferences to the absolute need of increased pay for the preacher, if he is to meet the laymen's high demand for ministerial service by adhering to the Pauline slogan, "this one thing I do" and "count all things but dross" that he may preach the Gospel. Our presentation of the claims of ministers to a support sufficient to maintain his family and give himself a free and untrammelled exercise of his functions as preacher and pastor and pay the bills required thereby, has met with some encouraging response.

Of the total advance in pastors' salaries for the past four years, of \$17,600, eight thousand or more than forty per cent is credited to the year now closing. This four-year increase has raised the average cash salary for pastors on the district from \$1010 in 1916, to \$1470 for the past year, and has advanced our standing among the nineteen districts in the Methodism of Iowa from the place of the lowest, save one, on average salary in 1916, to a much higher rank in the scale of District average in the state and the area.

While many charges are yet below the living standard, all but five of the thirty-seven estimate their support in four figures written at the left of the decimal.

Building and Improvements.—Although high prices of material and labor have delayed the launching of large building programs, some important improvements have been made in property. Cantril rejoices in a remodeled church, including a well-appointed basement and a commodious auditorium made beautiful with fresco interior finish, and art glass windows. This church has raised the total cost of \$4,500, paid in full besides an addition of \$400 to the pastor's salary. Milton has also repaired, repainted church and parsonage and added a garage. The total cost of \$1500 is paid in full and a surplus. Buxton and Kilbourn churches have each put in new furnaces and paid the bill. The parsonage at West Grove is set on new foundation and made more habitable with new hard-finish floors, fresh paper and paint.

By the pastor as artist craftsman, the parsonage rooms at Mystic have been refinished to the "Queen's Taste." Responding to the pastor's lead the people fitted up a cement basement and installed an up-to-date twin-tub electric power washer.

At Eldon a commodious kitchen has been added to the old brick

manse, and the house modernized with a furnace and complete plumbing system. The total cost of \$1,300 paid in full.

Bloomfield has disposed of the old house which for forty years has been the shelter and domicile of succeeding pastors, and has purchased at a cost of \$8,000 a new thoroughly equipped, nine-room, modern dwelling located on a commanding site. This wise purchase, following the dedication of the modernized church building dedicated a year ago fulfills the long-cherished hope of this congregation to replace the outgrown and deficient by building facilities commensurate with the community standing and needs of an aggressive congregation.

For the near future, Blakesburg, Cincinnati, Eldon, Jerome and Mystic have new buildings under advisement. Many other churches in the district must be rebuilt to provide for a larger constructive community program, or decline toward ultimate extinction. Especially is this true in the rural fields. Some of the parsonages are too small and in bad repair and a conspicuous discredit to the standing of the denomination in the community as well as a decided handicap to the efficiency of the pastor and wife who are compelled to suffer the discomfort and restriction of cramped and poor accommodations for themselves and families. If these houses were rebuilt and enlarged with better accommodations and conveniences for the pastor's work and his family needs, capable men would more readily accept these charges and made more easy the adjustment of such appointments.

District Conference.—The fall District Conference was held at Eldon the closing week of October with a program focused upon the Evangelistic Campaign for the year. Every sermon, address and discussion was by design directed to that end. The Conference closed in a flood tide of Evangelistic fervor and the pastors returned to their fields to rally and organize their people for a harvest of souls.

The spring session which met at Floris in May, featured an institute on the problems of the Rural Church. C. J. Hewitt, head of the rural department at Garrett, lectured and directed discussions much to the help of men engaged in rural work.

It is our pleasure to record that at this Conference of the district, seven men passed the examination and were voted a license to preach and four others were advanced to the annual Conference for admission on trial.

It is our conviction that when the church including pastors and parents shall proceed seriously to follow the advice of the Master to pray to the Lord of the harvest to send laborers, including their own dear children, our choice young men and women shall see visions of the glory of the Holy Ministry and hear the voice of Jehovah in His temple calling and shall answer as did the young Isaiah, "Here am I; send me." There is no surer method of increasing the supply of candidates for our ministry and missions.

Sunday Schools and Auxiliary Societies.—With few exceptions every church in the district has a going Sunday School. The superintendents for the most part give a devoted and intelligent leadership and the schools generally will show an increased enrollment over the year preceding. The forming of men's and women's organized Bible classes in the school is to be encouraged. The Cradle Roll should be devotedly maintained by a special superintendent and committee, and a teachers' training class held regularly in every church, to aid our teachers in caring for their classes, with greater satisfaction to themselves as well as for better results in the work of the school.

The W. F. M. S. and the W. H. M. S. continue to render a highly important service in their emphasis on mission study and the training of our young women and children in the application of the Gospel from which World Evangelism has not been omitted. The work of these societies is a spiritual tonic in the life of every church which maintains them, and promotes a broader, more intelligent and more generous financial support for the local church interests and all other calls of the kingdom.

Ladies' Aid Societies and Guilds are well organized and do excellent work in promoting sociability, visiting the sick and needy, and adding to the financial resources, in time of need, for building improvements of church and parsonage, making up salaries and contributing to the forward movement of the church. A number of these societies have subscribed and pay regularly to the Centenary, College Endowment or Retired Preachers' Fund. Most of the aids are eminently successful in handling their funds. Fourth Quarterly Conference reports for the year record the raising of many hundreds of dollars, and while every Ladies' Aid and Guild reports a balance in the treasury, the societies generally practice the principle that it is more blessed to give the money into the service of the church than to hold a deposit in the bank.

The status of the Epworth League is of deep concern to all pastors and others interested in the spiritual life of our young people. Very careful and prayerful thought must be given to the care of our youth. In some of our charges our young people are as sheep without a shepherd. The appalling indifference prevailing in some of our charges should be swept out with all its blight and plague by an enthusiastic but sane campaign for young people's work, led by the pastor and his helpers supported by official members, parents and Sunday school teachers, to fortify our youth against temptation which cools the religious ardor and saps the spiritual vitality of our young men and women, and sometimes eventuates in a life tragedy for some lambs of the flock.

A well-attended and spirited Convention of district young people convened at Albia in June and the following cabinet officers were elected:

President—F. M. Garrett, Mt. Pleasant.

First Vice-President—Miss Emma Stuckey, Centerville.

Second Vice-President—Miss Nellie Wainscott, Douds.

Third Vice-President—Mrs. A. B. Copeman, Ottumwa.

Fourth Vice-President—Miss Kate Fuller, Mystic.

Secretary-Treasurer—Miss Esther Millhouse, Ottumwa.

Dean of Institute—A. A. Heath, Ottumwa.

Board of Control—Thos. Osborn, W. A. Longnecker, W. J. Fowler.

All these organizations now under review are vital to the well-rounded program of a growing Methodist church, and it is our purpose to begin at once an urgent move not only to enlarge our Sunday schools, but to secure Women's Missionary Society, a Ladies' Aid and an Epworth and Junior League for every church in the District.

Evangelism and Conversions.—The campaign for conversions has been consistently urged and the pastors have been fully in line with the spirit and purpose of the campaign. Some kind of meeting was held and conversions reported on every charge in the district but four and in these unavoidable hindrances prevailed. One charge was without a pastor during the winter and early spring months. In another the

pastor, to play the part of honor with his creditors and protect his reputation for honesty as a minister and provide for his family felt obliged to supplement his insufficient salary by spending much time in other labor which in normal conditions he would have spent among the people. In a third, well formed plans for meetings were indefinitely deferred by the illness of the pastor which confined him to the house for some weeks and left him reduced in strength for some time after. However, new plans are now on to open meetings on this charge following closely the closing of the conference session. On a fourth charge, after much uncertainty and delay, an effort uniting all points on the circuit was begun and a big tent meeting is now in full swing, returns from which were not available for this report.

In tabulating the results in other charges, we wish to decry any wish to make numbers the chief concern in Evangelism, as some do vainly practice, and also that there is no intent in this report to discredit the devoted labors of any man, the visible results of whose effort may be small in numerals. But as all are aware, this evangelistic campaign was a distinct feature of the year's program, for which all pastors and churches were called into a church-wide movement. For this reason, we assume that the report of specific results by charges will be in order as well as of interest to the district and conference as a whole.

The number of conversions reported by charges are as follows: Avery-Hilton 2, Blakesburg 2, Richland 3, Packwood 4, Farson 6, Eldon 8, Florist 9, Exline 10, Milton 12, Kirkville 12, Highland 14, Main St., Ottumwa 15, Jerome 16, Ottumwa Ct. 17, Keosauqua 21, Pittsburg 22, Bloomfield 23, Unionville 25, Willard St. 27, Cantril 28, West Grove 29, Agency 30, Iconium 37, Chillicothe 40, Cincinnati 50, Albia 52, Inc. S. S. decisions. Moulton 62, First Church, Ottumwa, 75, Mystic 85 (inc. S. S. decisions), Moravia 138, Douds-Leando 174, Centerville 180.

These figures show that ninety per cent of the charges of the district went into action and the total result is 1228 conversions. Our questionnaire on the subject also reveals that 815 or more than three-fourths of the whole number converted, were enrolled in the Sunday schools, which fact is as a speeding arrow from the bow of God pointing our swift attention to the most fruitful field for evangelistic practice, and from which to recruit the membership of the church. We may also note in passing that for the year 461 have been received by letter and this is referred to for the sake of the comment that reports show that where evangelism has succeeded most, the largest number in proportion of accessions by letter are also reported and are without doubt a direct result of evangelistic zeal.

A District Survey.—A survey of every church and surrounding community in the district has begun. As the work is slow and much time required for visitation and collection of data, the survey has just gotten fairly started in the district as a whole. But some items gathered from the information already at hand, are of more than passing interest. The largest individual subscription on the annual budget for the year is \$500 and \$2000 per year on the Centenary. The largest average per member for the charge is \$16 per year for local budget and \$13.45 on Centenary. The largest total per member on a charge including both Budget and Centenary per year is \$26.

Ninety per cent of the charges are using the Disciplinary Plan. In several charges where this plan is not put on by the stewards, the dependable supporters represent as low as 30 per cent of the membership,

and in one charge 25 per cent of the men of the church are non-supporters. We are convinced that a proper use of the Disciplinary Plan of raising Budget expenses would greatly increase the per capita giving and enlist the support of non-paying members of the church. No better plan has been found, outside of the tithe for financing the local church than that proposed by our Discipline. With a thoro use of this plan, including the every member canvass, running expenses are most easily raised and deficiencies avoided.

A rural survey covering a radius of four miles from each village and country church is being worked out. Only eleven charges have gone far enough with the canvass to make even a partial report. But from these eleven charges we have these very significant returns: Whole number of people tabulated, 4,456. Included in this number are 127 resident Methodists who have not transferred their membership to the local church; 89 others who express a Methodist preference, and 974 who have no church preference, making a total of 1590 who come within the area of active endeavor of our church. If the same ratio holds in the other fifteen rural charges, our rural constituency in this district outside the present membership is 3750. However, the work in the eleven charges reporting is only 60 per cent complete, so that the totals will far exceed these figures. Again, 1843, or 40 per cent of the whole number tabulated are under twenty-one years of age, representing a probable Sunday school constituency and the age most hopeful for evangelism.

In these resources of religiously unattached human life of adults and youth of the rural communities lies the hope and salvation of the rural church.

The General Benevolences.—The total paid on Centenary and Benevolence funds will surpass that of last year. Centerville and First Church Ottumwa, two of the largest churches, make their first payment, and as a result of efforts of pastors to complete the canvass on their charges, other additions have been made. To the majority of our people their Centenary Subscription is a contract and a sacred obligation which they will discharge not only from a sense of honor, but as a thank-offering joyfully rendered unto God.

However, much information is needed among the people to correct misunderstandings and instruct the church in the purpose and scope of the great Centenary program. To this end we would put an Advocate into every home, and have already distributed some thousands of copies of the excellent leaflet by our presiding Bishop on Getting and Spending Centenary Money.

Respectfully,

WILLIAM H. PERDEW.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES, BOARDS, ETC.

BOARD OF STEWARDS.

The Board of Stewards requests the Bishop to appoint Rev. A. B. Hightshoe financial secretary of the Permanent Fund of the Iowa Annual Conference.

We recommend the election of Clarence D. Loose to fill out the unexpired term of B. G. Hankins, transferred, and that the name of B. F. VanDyke be substituted for H. W. VanDyke. For the term expiring in 1923 we recommend the names of R. L. Patterson, John W. Pool and R. G. Popham.

RELINQUISHMENTS.—Those who voluntarily relinquish their claim for this year are I. N. Busby, W. G. Thorn, U. B. Smith, Mrs. W. F. Gilmore, Mrs. W. E. Patterson, Mrs. J. T. Simmons, Mrs. C. W. Van Schoiach and Mrs. T. B. Hughes.

APPORTIONMENTS.—The claims on the Conference approximate \$35,165. The dividend from the Book Concern, Chartered Fund, Board of Conference Claimants (Chicago) and the Conference Endowment Fund approximate \$8,689. Balance necessary to pay the claim in full, \$26,476. By action of the Conference the above amount is to be raised by the various charges, based upon two items, that of cash salary and membership.

RECEIPTS.

Chartered Fund	\$ 35
Conference Claimants (Chicago)	250
Methodist Book Concern	5,904
Conference investment	2,500
Conference collection	18,357
Amount on hand	339
Total	\$27,385

DISBURSEMENTS.

From the Annuity Fund	\$24,944
From the Special Fund	1,727
Board of Conference Claimants	542
Amount on hand	157
Expense	15
Total	\$27,385

DISTRIBUTION TO PREACHERS.

No.	Names and Addresses.	Years of Service.	Relinquished.	Annuity.		Paid out of separate funds.	Grand total paid.
				Claim at \$20 per year.	Paid at \$16 per year.		
1.	Armacost, J. H. Iola, Kan., R. F. D. 2	14	..	\$ 280	\$ 224	..	\$ 224
2.	Barker, T. F. Washington, Iowa	29	..	580	464	..	464

Reports of Standing Committees, Boards, Etc.

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3.	Bevan, D. C.	33	..	660	528	22	550
	Portland, Ore., 41 E. 62 N.						
4.	Bishop, S. F.	33	..	660	528	..	528
	Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.						
5.	Brooks, E. C.	47	..	940	752	..	752
	Tiffin, Iowa.						
6.	Breeden, R.	20	..	400	320	..	320
	Carpenter, Wyo.						
7.	Busby, I. N.	18	R	...	...	..	...
	Brooklyn, Iowa.						
8.	Cleworth, G. D.	27	..	540	432	..	432
	Hartford, Mich.						
9.	Collier, Richard	30	..	600	480	..	480
	Wayland, Iowa.						
10.	Cooper, C. S.	41	..	820	656	..	656
	Agency, Iowa.						
11.	Crull, L. A.	14	..	280	224	101	325
	Muscantine, Ia. R. F. D. 4.						
12.	Daly, E. S.	22	..	440	352	..	352
	Nat. Soldiers' Home, Virginia.						
13.	Davis, John	20	..	400	320	205	525
	Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.						
14.	Doud, E. E.	20	..	400	320	..	320
	Alhambra, Cal. 2122 Moore Ave.						
15.	Filmer, Geo.	46	..	920	736	..	736
	Fremont, Iowa.						
16.	Fraker, J. W.	19	..	380	304	221	525
	Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.						
17.	Groom, W. N.	30	..	600	480	..	480
	Muskogee, Oklahoma, 1100 Ash St.						
18.	Haines, A. W.	33	..	660	528	..	528
	Winnebago, Ill.						
19.	Hall, W. N.	27	..	540	432	..	432
	Oskaloosa, Iowa.						
20.	Jones, W. H.	32	..	640	512	..	512
	Milton, Iowa.						
21.	Kendrick, A. V.	38	..	760	608	..	608
	Long Beach, Cal. 1084 E. 7th St.						
22.	Kendrick, John C.	51	..	1,020	816	..	816
	Ottumwa, Iowa.						
23.	Lambert, J. W.	42	..	840	672	..	672
	Highland Center, Iowa.						
24.	Montgomery, C. H.	35	..	700	560	..	560
	Baldwin City, Kan.						
25.	Myers, T. J.	50	..	1,000	800	..	800
	Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.						
26.	Norton, C. R.	31	..	620	496	..	496
	Glendale, Cal. 801 E. Wilson Ave.						
27.	Phelps, W. A.	13	..	260	208	25	233
	Pittsfield, Mass. 19 Tennison Ave.						
28.	Pool, T. S.	27	..	540	432	..	432
	Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.						
29.	Potter, W. N.	25	R	...	...	..	...
	Mitchell, S. D.						
30.	Pugh, H. F.	36	..	720	576	..	576
	Cedar Rapids, Ia. 1019 1st Ave. W.						

31. Smith, D. C.	40 ..	800	640	..	640
Ottumwa, Ia. 119 S. Schuyler St.					
32. Smith, H. N.	30 ..	600	480	..	480
Windsor, Ohio. R. F. D. 1.					
33. Smith, U. B.	52 R	...	...	..	...
Ottumwa, Ia.					
34. Stafford, C. L.	48 ..	960	768	..	768
Muscatine, Ia. 411 Linn St.					
35. Striker, W. R.	26 ..	520	416	..	416
Washington, Iowa.					
36. Thorn, W. G.	43 R	...	...	..	...
North Liberty, Iowa.					
37. Tuttle, G. M.	38 ..	760	608	..	608
Burlington, Ia. 1618 South St.					
38. Wilson, W. G.	36 ..	720	576	..	576
Los Angeles, Cal. 1174 W. 39th St.					
	1216	\$22,060	\$17,248	\$574	\$17,822

DISTRIBUTION TO WIDOWS.

No.	Names and Addresses.	Yrs. served with husband.	Widow's Years.	Annuity.				
			No. allowed, three-fourths.	Relinquished.	Claim at \$20 year allowed.	Paid at \$16 per yr. allowed.	Paid out of separate funds.	Grand total paid.
1.	Allison, Mrs. Alice.....	3	2¼ ..	\$	45	\$	36	...
	Oak Park, Ill. 434 N. Guyler Ave.							\$
2.	Barton, Mrs. Elizabeth..	28	21 ..		420	336	...	336
	Ottumwa Ia. 137 N. Willard St.							
3.	Berry, Mrs. Laura.....	9	6¾ ..		135	108	...	108
	Kingston, N. H. Box 107.							
4.	Boatman, Mrs. J. A.	38	28½ ..		570	456	...	456
	Burlington, Ia. 704 S. Central Ave.							
5.	Boydston, Mrs. Nell....	25	18¾ ..		375	300	100	400
	Des Moines, Ia. 1045 16th St.							
6.	Brush, Mrs. Nellie.....	22	16½ ..		330	264	86	350
	Berkley, Cal. 747 The Alemeda.							
7.	Burges, Mrs. Sarah.....	27	20¼ ..		405	324	...	324
	Keokuk, Ia. 1202 Des Moines St.							
8.	Byrkit, Mrs. L. W.	43	32¼ ..		645	516	...	516
	Los Angeles, Cal. 1155 Harvard Blvd.							
9.	Coats, Mrs. J. M.	36	27 ..		540	432	...	432
	San Denas, Cal. 214 W. 3rd St.							
10.	Coddington, Mrs. E. H..	7	5¼ ..		105	84	16	100
	Long Beach, Cal 344 E. 19th St.							
11.	Corley, Mrs. J. E.	35	26¼ ..		525	420	...	420
	Washington, D. C. 1769 Columbia Road.							
12.	Cox, Mrs. J. C. W.....	4	3 ..		60	48	2	50
	Los Angeles, Cal. 955 35th Place.							

13.	Freeland, Mrs. Mary...	10	7½	..	150	120	...	120
	Los Angeles, Cal. 884 E. 46th St.							
14.	Gilmore, Mrs. W. F.	9	6⅞	R	...	...	...	...
	Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.							
15.	Hare, Mrs. Hannah L..	20	15	..	300	240	...	240
	Tacoma, Washington, 719 N. K. St.							
16.	Haynes, Mrs. Mary....	24	18	..	360	288	...	288
	Oskaloosa, Iowa.							
17.	Hughes, Mrs. T. B.	50	37½	R	...	...	...	...
	Bloomfield, Iowa.							
18.	Kemble, Mrs. I. O.	11	8¼	..	165	132	93	225
	Canton, Ill. 319 Cross Place.							
19.	McDonald, Mrs. J. W....	27	20¼	..	405	324	..	324
	Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.							
20.	Murphy, Mrs. L. G.	27	27	..	540	432	...	432
	Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.							
21.	Patterson, Mrs. W. E... 26	19½	R	...	...	...	...	...
22.	Pike, Mrs. E. J.	36	27	..	540	432	43	475
	Des Moines, Ia. 1826 10th St.							
23.	Potter, Mrs. John.....	27	20¼	..	405	324	...	324
	Lynville, Iowa.							
24.	Powelson, Mrs. Julia... 20	15	..	300	240	85	325	
	Des Moines, Ia. 3823 Columbia Ave.							
25.	Robertson, Mrs. V. G... 21	15¾	..	315	252	123	375	
	Muscatine, Iowa. 1111 Oakland Drive.							
26.	Roovart, Mrs. B. J....	4	3	..	60	48	2	50
	Des Moines, Ia. 1100 Hippe Bldg.							
27.	Rowe, Mrs. E. A.	13	9¾	..	195	156	169	325
	Beacon, Iowa.							
28.	Shane, Mrs. L. A.	36	27	..	540	432	43	475
	Eldon, Iowa.							
29.	Simmons, Mrs. J. T. ...	48	36	R	...	...	...	...
	Ottumwa, Iowa.							
30.	Sinclair, Mrs. J. A....	20	15	..	300	240	85	325
	Shoshone, Idaho.							
31.	Sowden, Mrs. Cora....	17	12¾	..	255	204	25	229
	Los Angeles, Cal. 275 E. Ave. 52.							
32.	Thomas, Mrs. A. J....	15	11¼	..	225	180	70	250
	Lebanon, Penn. 371 N. 9th St.							
33.	Van Schoiach, Mrs. C. W.	15	11¼	R	...	...	...	...
	Albia, Iowa.							
34.	Wayman, Mrs. M. B....	4	3	..	60	48	177	225
	Mt. Vernon, Iowa.							
35.	Williams, Mrs. C. F....	22	16½	..	330	264	...	264
	Griggsville, Ill. R. F. D. 2.							
Totals		788	591	..	\$9,400	\$7,680	\$1,119	\$8,799

DISTRIBUTION TO CHILDREN.

Name of Parent.	Name of Child.	Father's yrs. of service.	Allows one-fifth	Claim at \$20	Paid \$16 per yr.	Special fund	Grand total pd.
Roovart, Mrs. B. J.	Roovart, Gerald.....	4	1	20	16	34	50

JOHN W. POOL, Secretary.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF PERMANENT FUND.

TO THE IOWA ANNUAL CONFERENCE:

Brethren: My annual report as Treasurer of the Permanent Fund of the Iowa Conference, covering the period from September 2, 1919, to September 2, 1920, is herewith submitted.

An itemized statement of all receipts and disbursements during said period as well as a complete list of the assets held by me as such Treasurer, has been made and delivered to Rev. A. B. Hightshoe, President of the Board of Stewards and Trustees of said Conference:

Said report shows the following, to-wit:

Sept. 2, 1919—Total assets	\$72,589.18	
Sept. 2, 1920—Bills Receivable		\$73,375.00
Sept. 2, 1920—U. S. War Savings Stamps.....		190.00
Sept. 2, 1920—U. S. Liberty Bonds.....		350.00
Sept. 2, 1920—Cash on hand		24.29
Sept. 2, 1920—Total Assets		\$73,939.29
Sept. 2, 1920—Less Bills Payable		3,875.00
Sept. 2, 1920—Net Assets		\$70,064.29
Sept. 2, 1920—Net Loss		2,524.89
	\$72,589.18	\$72,589.18

The decrease in assets since September 2, 1919, has been due to the following, to-wit:

RECEIPTS.

From J. C. Kendrick, Financial Secretary, cash.....	\$1,300.00
From J. C. Kendrick, Fin. Sec., U. S. Lib. Bonds..	150.00
Interest collected from U. S. Bonds.....	11.25
Interest collected from loans	3,949.19
U. S. War Savings Stamps enhanced.....	29.20

DISBURSEMENTS.

For organizing Permanent Fund campaign.....	\$4,554.12
Geo. F. Hindel, balance due on Treas. bond.....	38.45
Lavanda G. Murphy, annuity	500.00
Recording mortgage	1.50
Recording release .....	.50
U. S. revenue stamps on deed to W. H. Jones.....	1.50

Starr & Jordan, abstr., property sold W. H. Jones	2.00
Geo. F. Heindel, Treasurers' Bond	112.50
Interest on borrowed money	153.96
Minnesota and contract, error in endorsement....	100.00
Edw. W. Stodghill, Conference Treasurer.....	2,500.00
To deficit	\$2,524.89
Dated September 2, 1920.	\$7,964.53

Respectfully submitted,
R. G. POPHAM, Treasurer Permanent Fund.

REPORT OF DEACONESS BOARD.

Your Board met pursuant to the call of the President, transacting business as follows:

Characters passed and licenses renewed—Mary C. Jackson, Wilhelmina Wertz.

On account of home duties demanding her time and strength, Miss Aura Hopkinson asked for a retired relation, which was granted.

Mrs. L. G. Murphy and A. C. Wustrow were recognized as representatives from Graham Protestant Hospital.

In the absence of a majority of the new Board, chosen in harmony with the legislation of the last General Conference, a temporary organization was effected with A. A. Heath, President, and C. E. Coggs- shall, Sec.-Treas.

Your Board is pleased to report the splendid service rendered by the Graham Protestant Hospital, they having reported a year of un- precedented patronage. The hospital has been full continually, and sometimes extra cots were placed in the halls to accommodate the patients. Even then, many who desired to enter our institution found it necessary to secure elsewhere the assistance our limited equipment made it impossible for us to give. The pressing need is for a greatly in- creased hospital capacity, and new home for the nurses. We ask for the adoption of the following:

Resolved, That we congratulate the ladies of the Women's Home Missionary Society in the splendid record of progress and efficient service rendered by the Graham Protestant Hospital, and assure them of our hearty sympathy and co-operation in their work of mercy and help.

R. L. PATTERSON,
MRS. W. S. GARDNER.

DEACONESS BOARD.

President, A. A. Heath. Secretary-Treasurer, C. E. Coggs shall.

Members of Board.—District Superintendents: A. A. Heath, W. C. Wasser, C. E. Coggs shall, W. W. Bowers, Mrs. L. G. Murphy, A. C. Wustrow.

Representing local Board of W. C. Graham Protestant Hospital.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

The committee on District Conference Records report the records of the Ottumwa District examined and find them accurate and com- plete. Secretaries of other districts report records in good order.

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

1. That we recommend the continuance of the Inter-Conference Commission of Iowa which shall consider all questions for the advancement of Methodist interests throughout the state; the Wesley Foundation dealing with only those interests connected with all the work of Methodism in our state school. And we further recommend that the Conference elect as members of the Inter-Conference Commission of Iowa two district superintendents, two pastors and two laymen at each annual session, who shall constitute, together with those of other Conferences, the Inter-Conference Commission of Iowa for the ensuing year. For this year we nominate H. B. Scoles, W. A. Longnecker, J. S. Bellamy, H. M. Havner, W. H. Perdew and J. M. Brown.

2. That five cents per member be apportioned for the support of University pastors.

3. That eight cents per member be apportioned for the Wesley Foundation of Iowa.

4. That J. S. Bellamy be elected as a trustee for the Wesley Foundation of Iowa for a term of four years.

5. We recommend the apportionment of one dollar per member for the Iowa Wesleyan College.

6. We suggest that the District Superintendents do not fail to send the apportionments for the General Educational Board and insist that each charge raise its apportionment in full.

7. We nominate for Trustees of Iowa Wesleyan College for the term ending in 1924, Thomas Osborn, George Pulliam and John Bradley.

8. We nominate as visitors to the Iowa Wesleyan College for three years, J. M. Brown; for two years, W. R. Keeseey; and for one year, J. H. Krenmyre.

To Garrett Biblical Institute, F. S. Seeds.

To Drew Theological Seminary, C. B. Hankins.

To Boston University School of Theology, W. H. Perdew.

To Iliff School of Theology, George Blagg.

9. We nominate for the Conference Board of Education for three years, H. B. Scoles, W. R. Keeseey, George T. Pulliam, John Bradley and E. L. McColmn.

10. We devoutly believe that through the providence of God Dr. U. S. Smith has been called to the leadership of our Iowa Wesleyan College. Therefore be it resolved: That we pledge him our hearty co-operation; that we invite him into our pulpits, and that we shall at all times support him in his plans for a bigger and better Iowa Wesleyan College.

**REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT OF IOWA WESLEYAN COLLEGE.
TO THE MEMBERS OF THE CONFERENCE.**

Dear Brothers: As President of Iowa Wesleyan College, I am submitting the following as my first report of this institution. First, I wish to thank all the brethren for their hearty co-operation and sincere sympathy and interest in the arduous task that confronts us in attempting to manage a college in these most difficult and trying days. You are exceedingly busy men, and I know it, but a word from you at the right time and a helping hand at the right moment is the only way by which the institution can succeed.

The past year had been a very strenuous year and a very trying one for all colleges or institutions which were depending on the public for their support. The coal shortage interfered with our work for a few weeks, but aside from this we were uninterrupted by other hindrances or disease. We had very little sickness among our students and no epidemics. We noted, however, that the spirit of unrest abroad in the land which grew up during the war and has obtained world-wide since the war, considerably affected the student body and necessarily diminished their interest in their college work. This, to a large extent, wore away before the year was over, and the work of the college was successful to a large degree. At the close of the school year there were a number of vacancies in the faculty, all of which were filled several weeks ago. These vacancies have been filled by strong men, most of them experienced teachers, and we are certain that Iowa Wesleyan College now has the strongest faculty it has had in many years. We are expecting to open the school September 14th, with everything in line for a very successful year.

Touching the question of finance I am compelled to report that the institution is insufficiently endowed to be able to run without deficit in these times of exorbitant prices. The small compensation to teachers, the ever-increasing cost of the necessities of living, the flattering offers in business and commercial circles have made it impossible to supply the proper number of teachers without considerably increased salaries. These salaries were increased more than \$8,000 over those of last year and still we find many of them pitifully small. It is humiliating to ask men and women who have fitted themselves as instructors to take the salaries that we are forced to ask them to accept.

The large number of scholarships, ninety-eight of which were in use last semester, the amount of annuity paid on properties, the income from which is insufficient to pay these annuities, together with the bonds annually retired from the income of our endowment; and added to this the interest on the present indebtedness has greatly reduced the available funds for the current expenses of the institution. Thus no one need be surprised when we report, that aside from the improvements made, there was a deficit of about \$11,000 in running expenses of this institution the past year.

January 1, 1921, the final payment on the pledges to the \$500,000 endowment campaign fund becomes due. Mr. J. B. McNeil has been secured as a field man and will give his entire time to the renewal of pledges, collecting of these subscriptions and other general field work. He is now entering upon his activities and I am hoping that he shall be welcomed to every charge and used in your Sunday Schools, Epworth Leagues, Prayer Meetings and even in your pulpits, when you are needing a thorough-going, energetic, Christian layman for such purposes.

The collected cash endowment fund of this institution is in round numbers \$312,000. We have about \$30,000 worth of property on which annuities are paid. We have also other lands and properties from which little income is realized. The running expenses the past year were \$65,910.76 and our income was \$55,060.92 showing a deficit of \$10,849.84.

ADVANCE is the only guarantee of life. In the very, very near future we must have a gymnasium, library, conservatory, science hall and central heating plant, and I think this must speedily be followed by a men's dormitory and houses for the faculty. The time has come,

in my humble judgment, when we must invest at least \$50,000 in suitable homes for members of the faculty, if we hope to hold them to the institution. I am fully persuaded that the modern college must house both its students and faculty.

I trust the pastors all appreciate the seriousness of the financial situation confronting all colleges, and particularly our own. The only hope of running this institution successfully lies in the brethren giving great care to the collection for Iowa Wesleyan College. The \$1.00 per member from each charge will guarantee a successful year without deficit—without this a balance is impossible. If this money can be counted upon annually for the next few years, giving us time to put on a suitable campaign for building and endowment funds. I can see a future for the college, but without this advance and this loyal support of the charges of the conference we are facing grave difficulties.

The outlook for the present school year is very good, and with the co-operation of the brethren of the conference, the loyal support which every man is able to give, I am happy to report that Iowa Wesleyan College has a great field of activity and a future of unbounded success and usefulness.

Respectfully submitted,

U. S. SMITH.

CONFERENCE ENTERTAINMENT AND PLACE OF MEETING.

Your committee to whom the matter of Conference entertainment and place of meeting was referred, beg leave to report as follows:

1. That the Conference make an apportionment of five cents per member to each of the charges of the Conference to pay the expense of Conference entertainment, the same to be forwarded to the Conference Treasurer by the pastor with his annual report.

2. That each member of the Conference or supply in attendance upon the Annual Conference be allowed a maximum sum of fifty cents per day for lodging and one dollar and twenty-five cents per day for board in addition to his railway fare.

3. The place of meeting shall be required to guarantee an adequate number of rooms for lodging at an average price not to exceed fifty cents per day, ample facilities for board, and suitable housing for the purposes of the Conference session and to pay all running expenses of the buildings so used.

BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION.

To the Iowa Annual Conference:

Receipts and disbursements for the year ending Sept. 6, 1920:

	Receipts	Disbursements	Bal. on hand
Burlington District-----	\$ 812.50	\$ 537.50	\$ 275.00
Muscatine District-----	857.50	167.50	690.00
Oskaloosa District-----	2,282.50	2,282.50	
Ottumwa District-----	2,300.63	2,050.63	250.00

M. D COX, President.

J. S. DECKER, Secretary.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

We, your committee on Epworth League, heartily approve of the general plan of the Epworth League to hold institutes in each Superintendent's district during the year.

We recommend that each pastor urge the attendance of his young people upon the district convention.

We further recommend the appointment of a recreation secretary in each charge who shall have oversight of the social and recreational work of the charge.

LLOYD TENNANT, Chairman of Committee.

THE CHRIS HAW MEMORIAL CONTEST.

Your commission on plans for Bible story telling contests and pageantry presents the following report for your adoption:

The name of this organization shall be the Bible Feature Program League of the Iowa Annual Conference.

The purpose of the League shall be that of supplementing the religious instruction of the childhood and youth of every charge by the means of Bible story telling contests and pageantry.

The membership of the League shall include all members of the Methodist church, Epworth League and Sunday school, between the ages of eight and twenty, including those of the Junior, Intermediate and Senior departments of the Sunday school and all young people associated in our church of High School age.

All members may participate in the pageantry, but only members of High School age shall participate in the Bible story telling contests.

The Bible story telling contests shall be held successively as local, sub-district, district and Annual Conference contests.

The local contest shall be somewhere near Thanksgiving Day.

The sub-district contest somewhere near Lincoln's birthday.

The district contest at the Epworth League convention.

The Conference contest at the session of the Annual Conference.

Awards of nickel, bronze, silver and gold medals, respectively, to be given to the winners of these contests.

The pastor, with two members of the charge, appointed by himself shall be responsible for the local contests.

The members of commission representing the districts, together with two pastors, from the sub-district, appointed by the district superintendents shall be responsible for the sub-district and district contests.

This commission shall be responsible for the Annual Conference contests.

Necessary literature will be suggested by the commission and can be secured from the Book Concern.

HOSPITALS.

Your committee on hospitals are happy in making the following report:

During the year the launching of the "American White Cross" has been made, and at the close of this first year we are pleased to make the following report as filed by the secretary, L. O. Jones.

Total cash receipts for the year ending Aug. 31, 1920.....\$20,930.27

Disbursements as follows:

To office badges—Trav.	\$ 604.31
Printing—Publicity	1,343.74
Iowa Methodist Hospital, free service	14,661.36
For rehabilitation of rooms	3,599.12

\$20,208.53

To balance on hand—\$721.74.

We are heartily in accord with the great work being carried on by our hospital and we recommend that the special day, the last Sunday before Christmas, be set aside as special "White Cross Hospital Sunday."

We rejoice in the splendid work being done at the Iowa Methodist Hospital and we record with pleasure the growth and scope of its influence and hereby pledge our continued support in the giving of money and supplies.

We nominate as directors for the ensuing year: J. W. Pool, Lloyd Tennant, W. C. Wasser.

Signed for the committee,

C. L. STAFFORD, Secretary.

NATIONAL BIBLE TRAINING SCHOOL.

Your committee on the Iowa National Bible Training School beg leave to present the following for adoption:

Whereas, The Iowa Bible Training School has been made a national institution by the Women's Home Missionary Society, and plans are perfected for greatly increasing facilities for efficient service, including the erection of a building to cost not less than \$130,000; therefore,

Resolved, That we hereby express our hearty sympathy with this important enterprise of Methodism in our state, and cordially recommend to the young womanhood of our church this opening door to equipment for service.

Resolved further, That it will be our pleasure to forward to Miss A. Maude King, to whose stirring words we have listened, the names of consecrated young women who are free to serve in the "white harvest fields."

PERIODICALS.

We feel that our church has a fine line of publications, such as our *Advocates and Review*, with their able editors.

We advise that the whole matter of conservation and advertising of the Centenary program be given full sway in the *Advocates*, and especially do we refer this to the *Northwestern Christian Advocate*, since we are in the territory of that paper.

Therefore be it resolved, That each pastor shall observe Sunday, October 24, as Advocate Sunday.

Second. That we shall accept the offer of the editor, namely, to send free copies for three weeks, providing the pastors will send in the names of prospects and will follow up the work.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PUBLISHING BOARD

Receipts:		
Balance on hands	-----	\$419.34
Sale of Journals	-----	314.61
Advertising	-----	249.00
Laymen's Association	-----	9.00
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		\$991.95
Disbursements:		
Printing Journals	-----	\$470.00
Postage	-----	22.16
Conference Officers Expense	-----	44.79
Church Janitor	-----	15.00
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		\$551.95
Balance on hands	-----	\$440.00

CHARLES B. HANKINS,
Business Manager of Board of Publishers.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS.

The committee on resolutions submits the following report:

Resolved, First, That we express our appreciation of the hospitality of the Grinnell people with the patient and untiring endeavor of the local pastor, Dr. W. C. Wasser.

Second. We wish to make known our enjoyment of the music rendered by the able Mr. Elias Blum and his co-workers, as a part in the splendid conference program prepared by the committee. We also acknowledge our satisfaction and gratitude for the courtesy extended by the local press in the comprehensive and sympathetic reports they have given of the proceedings of this conference.

Third. We hereby thank Dr. J. M. M. Gray for the daily eloquent and inspiring sermons that he gave us.

Fourth. That we note with appreciation the over-Sabbath stay at our conference of Bishop W. F. McDowell and the splendid address delivered by him.

Fifth. That this conference rejoices over the action of the General Conference in placing for the second time our beloved Bishop Homer C. Stuntz at the head of the Omaha area. That we appreciate for the third time in our conference his very able and brotherly leadership, his daily inspirational talks and masterly sermon on the Sabbath day and we gladly welcome his presidency over us in the future.

O. J. FIX, Sec. of Comm.

THE STATE OF THE COUNTRY.

As citizens of a great country to which God has providentially given signal opportunity to lead the world in civic, social and industrial righteousness, we rejoice in the victories won along these lines, especially in the passage by congress and the ratification by the required number of states, of the 18th and 19th amendments to the federal constitution. We pledge ourselves to the fulfillment of their provisions.

We are not, however, unmindful of the insidious attacks of the powers of ungodliness along all these battle fronts, and as integral parts of the militant church of Christ, we wish to put ourselves on record as favoring some form of international agreement with all world powers making it exceedingly difficult and unpopular for one nation to go to war against another, and pledging ourselves to do our utmost to so inculcate the principles of the teachings of Christ, that the anarchist, the bolshevist, the profiteer, the labor agitator, the unyielding capitalist, the political demagog, and all other workers of unrighteousness may soon be brought to recognize the inherent right of all men, women and children to a square deal and a fair chance.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

We express our appreciation of the exhibits and programs presented to the Conference by the Board of Sunday Schools.

In view of the legislation adopted by the General Conference of 1916 and continued by the General Conference of 1920, we recommend:

1. The organization of a Conference Sunday School commission on the plan outlined in paragraph 476, Sections 1 and 2 of the Discipline.

2. That the personnel of this commission consisting of the District Superintendent, one minister and one layman from each district, be as follows:

Burlington District—District Supt. W. R. Keeseey, C. W. Linder.

Muscatine District—District Supt. P. S. Apfel, W. E. Downer.

Oskaloosa District—District Supt. L. H. Lanning, Thos. S. Mason.

Ottumwa District—District Supt. W. A. Longnecker, G. T. Harn.

3. The holding of Sunday School Institutes, supervised by our Board of Sunday Schools at Chicago, at the sessions of the District Conferences.

4. That as pastors and laymen, we make a systematic study of our schools and communities, ascertain the needs, distribute the literature of the Sunday School Board, and endeavor to make the educational departments of our churches more efficient organizations for religious training and instruction.

Respectfully submitted.

COMMITTEE.

TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE.

We rejoice in the achievements and in the program of the Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals of our church, and we are glad to give our confidence to its wise and aggressive tactics. We are pleased to know that the resolution adopted by the Iowa Conference one year ago requesting the U. S. congress to deny protection of the diplomatic, naval or marine forces to any or all citizens of the United States who engage in the manufacture, sale or other distribution of alcoholic liquors in foreign countries, has crystallized into a measure already introduced in congress, which we feel assured will be pushed to a successful conclusion.

We are in thorough accord with the Anti-Saloon League of America in its great program of law enforcement, and world-wide annihilation of the beverage liquor traffic, and its efforts to secure the elec-

tion of a United States congress which will strictly enforce national prohibition including the elimination of beer and wine of any alcoholic per cent.

We feel it our duty to call attention of Iowa voters to be very careful in their selection of members of the General Assembly of the state and members of congress. We urge the legislature of the state of Iowa to make an adequate appropriation for law enforcement, in concurrence with federal enforcement of the 18th amendment, and thus relieve the taxpayer of double taxation for law enforcement. We are highly pleased with the general management of the Iowa Anti-Saloon League, and we nominate C. S. Cooper and F. E. Day to represent us on the Board of Trustees.

M. E. WETHERCUT, Secretary.

C. S. COOPER,
Chairman.

SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE

We concur with the General Conference at Des Moines and "endorse the far-seeing plans of the Board in securing the most eligible site, just fronting the doors of the Capitol at Washington, for the erection of a large building commemorating the hundred-year struggle which has resulted in national prohibition and furnish a home for the Board of Temperance and all Methodist interests that center in Washington and be the headquarters of the Protestant and civic reform leaders who watch the currents of government and promote the reforms now throbbing for expression in the convictions of the people."

This work, started with the full endorsement of the General Conference, was hindered by the war and sidetracked by the Centenary Drive, but must now be completed by the generosity of those who believe that the importance of this reform work demands adequate equipment for its future conquests.

We urge every pastor to heartily participate in the plans of the Board to secure the balance of the funds necessary to finish its building enterprise.

C. S. COOPER, Chairman.

M. E. NETHERCUT, Secretary.

CONFERENCE TEMPERANCE AGENT.

As your agent, we have distributed in the Sunday Schools, Leagues and congregations, temperance literature equivalent to 40,000 12mo pages. The distribution has been as wise and careful as we know how to make it, and included one hundred copies of "The Liquor Problem" by Norman Richardson, and fifty copies "The Greatest Common Destroyer" by McCain and Picket. These were given to the officers and teachers of the Leagues and Sunday Schools to be used in preparing supplementary programs in connection with the quarterly temperance lessons.

In addition to the above we handed out four thousand M. E. Temperance Pledge Cards, which were signed by more than two thousand of our young people, pledging themselves to personal abstinence from all intoxicating beverages and to use their influence to abolish the liquor habit and traffic. The names of these signers are to be placed upon the Wall Pledge—a Roll of Honor to be exhibited on each quarterly temperance day, when additional signers may be secured.

We have used almost exclusively the leaflets and folders published by our Church Board of Temperance, and find them very helpful and popular.

Finances.

Money received from the several charges mentioned below to help meet expenses of the work:

1919.

Oct. 5—Lone Tree	\$ 34.75
Oct. 19—Hedrick	27.50
Oct. 26—Montezuma	18.96
Nov. 2—Malcolm	19.98
Nov. 9—Wilton	1.09
Nov. 16—Fremont	19.25
Nov. 23—Keosauqua	20.70
Dec. 21—Agency	28.00

1920.

Jan. 18—Willard Street, Ottumwa	18.00
Jan. 25—Main Street, Ottumwa	45.50
April 18—First Church, Ottumwa	41.49
April 25—Fairfield	29.05
May 2—Mt. Pleasant	51.94
May 9—Harrison Ave.	14.31
May 23—First Church, Burlington	25.50
May 30—Trinity, Keokuk	19.00

Total\$415.02

Expenses.

M. E. Book Concern	\$ 55.00
Clarence True Wilson	24.35
Ottumwa Paper Co., framing eight wall pledges.....	40.00
Warden Paper Co., framing 5 wall pledges	25.60
Ottumwa Stamp Works	126.50
Sundries—clerk hire, postage, envelopes, etc.	24.91
Travel and entertainment	109.10

Total\$405.46

CONSTITUTION PREACHER'S AID SOCIETY OF THE IOWA ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

ARTICLE I.

The name of this organization shall be "The Preacher's Aid Society of the Iowa Annual Conference."

ARTICLE II.

Object.

The object of the organization is to care for the following expenses which may be incurred when a member passes away.

1. To pay for printing and mailing the notice of death.
2. To provide flowers for the funeral, the expense not to exceed five dollars.

3. To pay the traveling expenses of not more than three representatives of the Conference who may be appointed by the Conference or by the District Superintendents to attend the funeral of a member at a remote distance.

4. To pay the widow, estate or administrator of the deceased the sum of two hundred dollars, which amount shall be due within ten days of the decease of a member, but in no case shall the amount exceed the amount obtained from a single assessment.

The provisions of 1, 2, and 3 above shall be understood to apply to every minister of the Conference.

ARTICLE III.

Dues.

Each minister shall pay to the treasurer two dollars as an initial payment and thereafter two dollars upon receipt of the notice of the death of a member. Failure to so pay within thirty days constitutes a lapse of membership.

ARTICLE IV.

Membership.

All members of the Iowa Conference are eligible to membership, also all persons doing supply work in the Conference.

ARTICLE V.

Officers.

The Secretary of the Conference shall be the secretary and treasurer of this organization and it shall be his duty to receive and disburse funds in accordance with the above provisions. He shall also make a report of receipts and disbursements at each session of the Conference, which with a list of the membership, shall be published in the records of the Conference.

ARTICLE VI.

Death Notice.

The death notice of a member of the organization, whether issued by a District Superintendent of a pastor, shall include this statement: "Member of Preacher's Aid Society" and on receipt of such notice each member shall remit two dollars to the treasurer.

ARTICLE VII.

Amendments.

This constitution may be amended at any session of the Conference by a majority vote of the members of the society present and voting.

PREACHER'S AID SOCIETY.

Annual Report of Secretary-Treasurer.

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand September 9, 1919	\$115.36
Received initial payments from new members	21.00
Total	\$136.36

EXPENDITURES

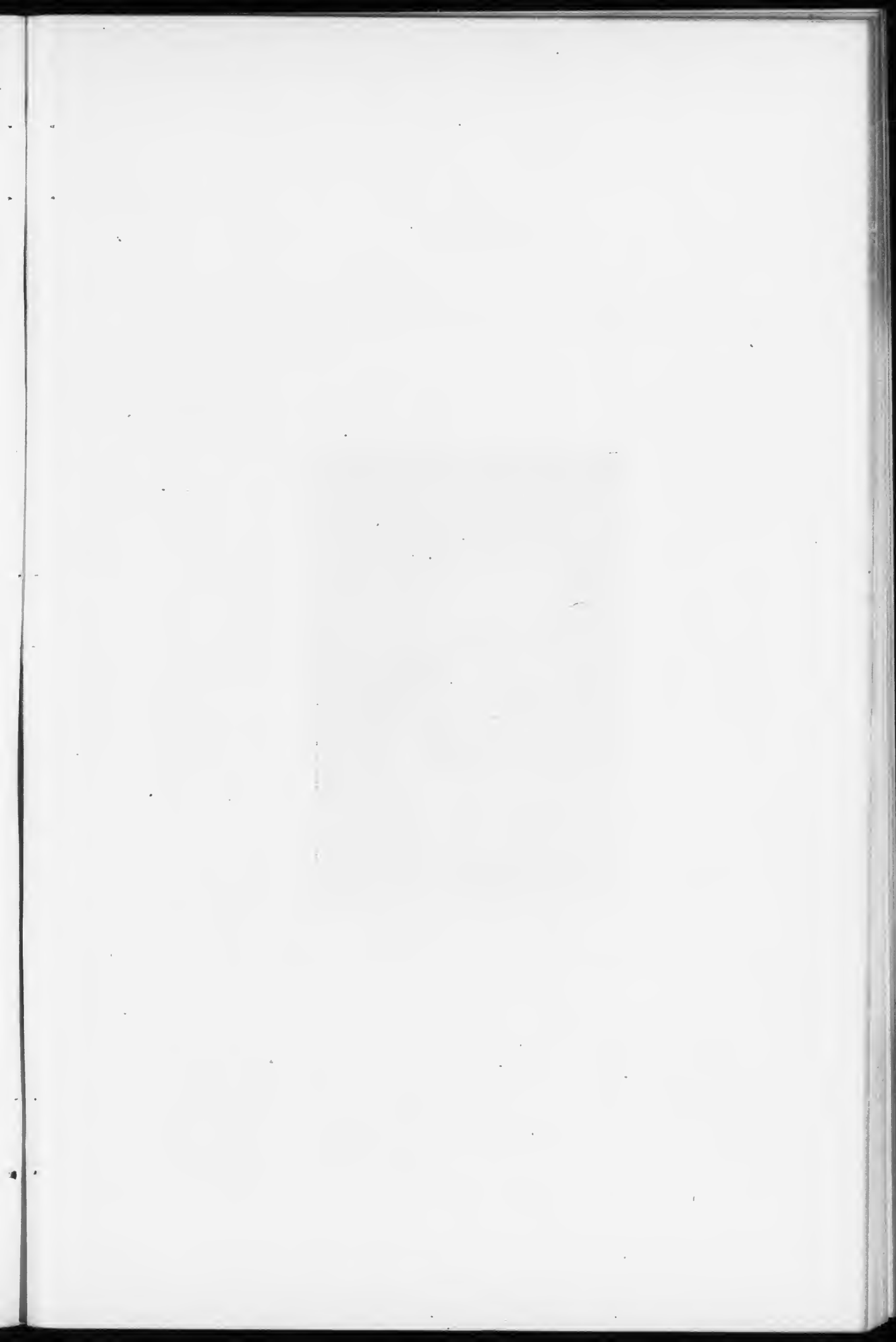
None.	
Balance on hand September 6, 1920	\$136.36

Membership Roll.

Arms, R. J.	Frye, F. P.	Phillips, D.
Apfel, P. S.	Field, C. A.	Phelps, W. A.
Barr, W. G.	Filmer, George	Pritchard, J. J.
Blagg, George	Felt, R. V.	Pugh, H. F.
Brown, J. M.	Gardner, W. S.	Perdew, W. H.
Barber, G. W.	Gilbert, H. F.	Pool, J. W.
Burdock, L. R.	Grigsby, L. M.	Pool, T. S.
Butler, H. E.	Haines, A. W.	Patterson, R. L.
Barnett, J. F.	Hawk, P. H.	Rex, J. F.
Burdine, C. E.	Heath, A. A.	Richards, R. T.
Behrens, J. C.	Hehner, J. P.	Rohrbaugh, L. G.
Bentzinger, E. A.	Hightshoe, A. B.	Rudkin, J. R.
Banker, M. A.	Hankins, C. B.	Smith, U. B.
Buell, W. E.	Hendrickson, H. O.	Smith, D. C.
Baumgarten, C. E.	Hancher, J. W.	Smith, U. S.
Bishop, S. F.	Hchner, E. S.	Smith, W. A.
Barker, T. F.	Hayes, M. E.	Smith, George
Boos, C. H.	Ireland, W. B.	Stryker, W. R.
Barker, A. H.	Keeseey, W. R.	Stafford, C. L.
Bushendorf, S. E.	Kennedy, T. C.	Stodghill, E. W.
Conant, P. M.	Kendrick, J. C.	Swickard, N. A.
Crowther, W. M.	Krenmyre, J. H.	Shook, E. J.
Cooper, C. S.	Longnecker, W. A.	Scott, W. J.
Cadwell, A. B.	Lymer, E. E.	Scoles, H. B.
Coggeshall, C. E.	Lambert, J. W.	Slack, W. H.
Crull, L. A.	McBlain, A. W.	Schell, E. A.
Cox, M. D.	Millice, H. C.	Stine,, J. W.
Cochran, C. W.	Minear, G. L.	Seeds, F. S.
Carson, J. W.	Montgomery, C. H.	Tennant, C. L.
Caughlan, J. C.	Myers, T. J.	Tennant, L.
Davis, John	McBride, O. E.	Tuttle, G. M.
Druse, H. C.	Moore, W. S.	Thorn, W. G.
Decker, J. S.	Moorman, J. A.	Ward, C. E.
Dillon, W. H.	Norton, C. R.	Warren, T.
Day, F. E.	Neville, Hugh	Wilson, J. A.
Ellis, C. L.	Newsom, J. E.	Ward, J. E.
Fitzsimmons, C. E.	Osborn, Thos.	Worrell, J. A.
French, M. R.	O'Dell, J. D.	Zimmerman, C. R.
Fowler, W. J.	Pike, R. V.	

Total Number, 116

W. A. LONGNECKER, Sec'y-Treas.





Rev. Joseph Edmund Corley

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The illness resulting in his death was very brief. On Wednesday evening, February 4th he retired, apparently in his usual health, but before morning suffered a stroke of apoplexy from which he did not regain consciousness, and Friday morning he breathed his last.

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as follows: Malcolm, '71; Victor, '72; Tiffin, '73; North Newton, '74; Student, Boston University School of Theology '75; Morning Sun, '78; Kossuth, '80; Ft. Madison, '82; Marengo, '85; Oskaloosa, Simpson, '86; Montezuma, '87; P. E. Burlington Dist., '90; Grinnell, '96; West Liberty, '99; Milton, '01; Fairfield, '02; Sy., '04; Deep River, '06; Wilton, '08; North English, '10; Retired, '11.

Brother Corley was a well trained man and one who maintained his mental life on a high level. He was widely read, observant and critical in the better sense, a man who found delight in the very best thought of his fellow men, and one who had he been so disposed was abundantly qualified to enrich the current literature of his day. He was a contributor to several of our church papers and his contributions indicated clear thought, discernment and withal a sense of humor that was delightful. This writer recalls vividly a paper which he read at a session of the Muscatine District Conference at West Liberty, which during the entire reading, a period of about 25 minutes, kept the conference in a continuous roar of laughter. Its publication was requested and even urged, but the writer's innate modesty led to persistent refusal.

This trait in Brother Corley was marked by all who knew him. The superficial, particularly that which was meant for popular effect was most distasteful to him. The all-to-general and indiscriminate bestowal and use of honorary degrees was loathsome to him and privately at least, called forth scathing sarcasm.

Genuineness, whole-heartedness and manliness were traits of character in which he not only believed but which he magnified in his life.

Necessarily one whose life was characterized by these splendid traits, found his great example and inspiration in Christ whom he loved most sincerely and whose Church and Kingdom he ever sought to protect and promote. As a minister of the gospel he was true to the highest and best standards of thought and life, and he gave himself unsparingly and uncomplainingly to the varied and exacting duties of the ministry. He served the college from which he and his wife and two eldest sons graduated, as secretary of the board of trustees for about ten years.

The following tribute to Brother Corley is by Rev. W. G. Wilson of the Iowa Conference, now retired and living at Los Angeles Cal. All those who really knew him will heartily second these words of loving appreciation:

"In the death of the Rev. J. E. Corley, of the Iowa Conference, there has passed on to the church triumphant one of the purest and most upright men I have ever known. Truly a white soul. For fifty-two years I have known and been intimately acquainted with him; two years in college and three years we roomed together while attending the school of Theology in Boston University. Since 1871 we have been members of the same Conference and in continued correspondence. I have had opportunity to know and understand him as no other man, and as I look back over the association and friendship of all these years I do not recall a circumstance in his life nor a feature in his character to mar the beautiful memory I have of him. I have not only respected and honored him, but have truly loved him and am greatly afflicted in his death. I weep with his wife and children in their bereavement and rejoice with them in the prospect of the great glory awaiting us all beyond the grave."

MARY LATHAM.

Mary Latham was born in Barbour county, West Virginia, October 1st, 1830. Her maiden name was Mary Ann Walter. She united with the Methodist Episcopal church in early childhood and led a beautiful Christian life until she was called home. Almost the last thing loved ones heard her speak of was her joy in the Christian life.

On August 5th, 1856 she was married to James W. Latham, a Methodist minister. Their home was blessed with six children, two boys and four girls. But one of these survives her, Mr. C. E. Latham of Redlands, Cal., with whom she had made her home for almost thirty years.

Her husband's death occurred January 1st, 1872, at Keosauqua, Ia. Sister Latham's last illness was attended with much pain and suffering but she quietly fell asleep on the morning of June 25th, 1920, in the ninetieth year of her age.

NANCY L. SIGLER RUNYON.

Nancy Lorinda Sigler was born in Greencastle, Indiana, November 4, 1834, passing away at her home in Sidney, Iowa, Sunday, September 28th, 1919, at the age of 84 years, 10 months and 24 days.

She had been a resident of Iowa for 83 years, coming to Iowa at the age of two years. Her father settled in the southeastern portion of the state and was owner of the Sigler mill at Keosauqua, and with Ed. Manning and others, platted and located the town of Keosauqua. In fact, his homestead was a portion of the town site of that place.

She was united in marriage to H. Runyon, of Hillsboro, Iowa, on November 6, 1853, and to this union four children were born: W. W., of Corning, Iowa, now deceased; Mrs. Pierce Metz of Omaha; E. W. and Mrs. Nellie Chappell of Sidney.

They located in Sidney in 1897 and have since resided there, Mr. Runyon passing away at the age of 84 years.

Mrs. Runyon united with the Methodist church at the age of sixteen years, and as long as her health permitted, she was an active worker in both Sunday school and church. Her husband was a minister during the Civil war and afterwards as long as his health permitted him to preach.

For the past twenty years, Mrs. Runyon has been a semi-invalid, the past three years, a shutin.

The funeral was conducted at her home at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon by Dr. Dickinson, assisted by Rev. Henry Butler.

Her favorite songs were rendered by Mesdames Vernon Johnson, Henry Butler and J. R. Ettleman. Interment was in the Sidney cemetery.

SARAH M. SHEPHERD.

Sarah M. Shepherd, of Keosauqua, Iowa, wife of Rev. C. W. Shepherd, who was for many years treasurer of the Iowa Conference, was born in Ohio, July 12th, 1842. Her parents moved the same year to Van Buren county, Iowa, where all of her life was spent. She became the wife of Rev. C. W. Shepherd, May 24th, 1874. Mrs. Shepherd died Sunday morning, April 11th, 1920, aged 77 years, 8

months and 27 days. She was taken to the hospital in Ottumwa, Iowa, late last fall, where she submitted to an operation for cancer of the heart. For a few weeks the prospects for a perfect recovery were promising, when suddenly she grew weak and faded away. For a good many years she knew the work, the joys and the hardships of a Methodist itinerant's wife, but was happy in the toils, and patient in all the trials of a pastor's wife. Her pastor called frequently and found her still growing in faith and love and the prospective vision of a mansion, a robe and a crown brightened her life and sweetened her spirit. She was ready for the transition and welcomed the hour of her going home.

The funeral service was held April 15th from the church at Keosauqua, Iowa, and was conducted by her pastor, J. C. Caughlan, assisted by Rev. J. C. Kendrick, of Ottumwa, Iowa, a long time friend of her companion. She rests by the side of her companion in the Keosauqua cemetery.

XI--SESSIONS AND OFFICERS OF THE IOWA CONFERENCE

No.	Time	Year	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Statistical Secretary	Treasurer
1	August 14-19	1844	Iowa City	Morris	H. W. Reed		
2	September 3-8	1845	Burlington	Morris	" " "		
3	September 2-7	1846	Bloomington	Hamline	" " "		
4	September 1-7	1847	Mt. Pleasant	Waugh	Joseph Brooks		
5	August 23-28	1848	Dubuque	Morris	H. W. Reed		
6	August 8-13	1849	Ft. Madison	Janes	Langdon Taylor		
7	August 7-12	1850	Fairfield	Hamline	J. G. Dimmitt		
8	August 6-11	1851	Davenport	Waugh	M. H. Hare		
9	Sept. 29 to Oct. 4	1852	Burlington	Ames	Joseph Brooks		
10	Sept. 28 to Oct. 4	1853	Oskaloosa	Scott	" "		
11	Sept. 27 to Oct. 4	1854	Dubuque	Morris	H. W. Reed		
12	Sept. 26 to Oct. 2	1855	Keokuk	Simpson	Joseph Brooks		
13	Sept. 24-30	1856	Mt. Pleasant	Janes	" "		
14	Sept. 24-26	1857	Des Moines	Ames	" "		
15	Sept. 8-14	1858	Fairfield	Morris	E. L. Briggs	E. W. Waring	
16	Sept. 7-12	1859	Muscatine	Simpson	E. H. Waring	James Haynes	
17	Aug. 29 to Sept. 3	1860	Oskaloosa	Janes	" "	George N. Power	
18	Aug. 21-26	1861	Burlington	Scott	" "	" "	
19	Sept. 10-15	1862	Washington	Baker	" "	" "	
20	Sept. 9-14	1863	Newton	Ames	" "	" "	
21	Sept. 14-19	1864	Keokuk	Janes	" "	" "	
22	Sept. 27 to Oct. 2	1865	Mt. Pleasant	Janes	" "	John Haynes	
23	Sept. 26 to Oct. 1	1866	Knoxville	Ames	" "	J. C. Brown	
24	Sept. 18-23	1867	Ottumwa	Scott	" "	" "	
25	Sept. 3-7	1868	Burlington	Janes	" "	Kemble, Schreiner	
26	Sept. 1-6	1869	Muscatine	Thompson	" "	Haynes, Byrkit	
27	Sept. 28 to Oct. 3	1870	Albia	Ames	" "	Haynes, Schreiner	
28	Oct. 4-9	1871	Mt. Pleasant	Ames	" "	C. W. Shephred	
29	Oct. 9-13	1872	Oskaloosa	Andrews	" "	Smith Clark, Wilson	
30	Sept. 17-21	1873	Washington	Bowman	" "	Stff'd, Byrkit, Sch'r	
31	Sept. 16-21	1874	Bloomfield	Haven	" "	" "	
32	Sept. 15-21	1875	Keokuk	Merrill	" "	" "	
33	Sept. 6-12	1876	Ottumwa	Wiley	George N. Power	Myers, Shepherd	
34	Sept. 5-10	1877	Fairfield	Ames	" "	" "	
35	Sept. 4-16	1878	Brooklyn	Foster	" "	" "	
36	Sept. 3-9	1879	Burlington	Harris	" "	" "	
37	Sept. 8-13	1880	Centerville	Hurst	" "	Myers, Shepherd	

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38	Aug. 31 to Sept. 5	1881	Knoxville	Merrill	George N. Power	Myers, Shepherd	
39	Sept. 6-11	1882	Muscatine	Wiley	" "	" Pugh	
40	Sept. 5-10	1883	Burlington	Simpson	" "	" "	
41	Sept. 3-9	1884	Ottumwa	Foster	" "	" "	
42	Sept. 10-15	1885	Mt. Pleasant	Ninde	" "	" Adams	C. W. Shepherd
43	Sept. 2-7	1886	Washington	Bowman	" "	F. W. Adams	" "
44	Sept. 7-12	1887	Newton	Merrill	" "	" "	" "
45	Sept. 5-10	1888	Oskaloosa	Goodsell	" "	" "	" "
46	Sept. 4-9	1889	Burlington	Warren	" "	" "	" "
47	Sept. 4-8	1890	Grinnell	Joyce	" "	" "	" "
48	Sept. 2-7	1891	Muscatine	Foss	" "	" "	" "
49	Sept. 7-12	1892	Washington	Andrews	" "	" "	" "
50	Sept. 6-11	1893	Mt. Pleasant	Mallalieu	C. L. Stafford	" "	" "
51	Sept. 12-16	1894	Fairfield	Fowler	" "	" "	" "
52	Sept. 11-16	1895	Ottumwa	Foster	" "	" "	" "
53	Sept. 9-14	1896	Knoxville	Newman	" "	" "	" "
54	Sept. 8-13	1897	Oskaloosa	Fitzgerald	" "	" "	T. S. Pool
55	Sept. 28 to Oct. 3	1898	Montezuma	Vincent	" "	" "	" "
56	Sept. 27 to Oct. 2	1899	Mt. Pleasant	McCabe	" "	" "	" "
57	Sept. 19-24	1900	Bloomfield	Walden	John C. Willits	Elias Handy	" "
58	Sept. 18-24	1901	Newton	Merrill	" "	" "	" "
59	Sept. 17-22	1902	Keokuk 1st ch	Hamilton	" "	" "	" "
60	Sept. 9-14	1903	Muscatine	Mallalieu	John W. Potter	" "	" "
61	Sept. 7-12	1904	Sigourney	McDowell	" "	" "	" "
62	Sept. 6-11	1905	Albia	Warren	" "	C. R. Zimmerman	" "
63	Sept. 5-10	1906	Grinnell	Goodsell	" "	" "	" "
64	Sept. 4-9	1907	Burlington	Cranston	" "	" "	" "
65	Sept. 2-7	1908	Ottumwa	Quayle	" "	George Blagg	" "
66	Sept. 8-13	1909	Winfield	Spellmeyer	" "	" "	" "
67	Sept. 7-12	1900	Pella	Wilson	" "	" "	" "
68	Sept. 6-7	1911	Fairfield	Cranston	W. A. Longnecker	" "	" "
69	Sept. 4-9	1912	Newton	Hughes	" "	" "	" "
70	Sept. 3-8	1913	Oskaloosa	Shepard	" "	" "	" "
71	Sept. 2-7	1914	Ft. Madison	Shepard	" "	" "	" "
72	Sept. 1-6	1915	Centerville	Stuntz	" "	" "	" "
73	Aug. 30 to Sept. 4	1916	Mt. Pleasant	McConnell	" "	C. A. Field	" "
74	Sept. 5-10	1917	Washington	Cooke	" "	" "	" "
75	Sept. 4-9	1918	Bloomfield	Hughes, MS	" "	" "	" "
76	Sept. 2-8	1919	Muscatine	Stuntz	" "	" "	" "
77	Sept. 1-6	1920	Grinnell	Stuntz	" "	" "	" "

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MISCELLANEOUS

LAYMEN'S ASSOCIATION.

The twelfth annual convention of the Laymen's Association of the Iowa Conference convened in the First Congregational church at Grinnell, Iowa, at 9 a. m., September 3d, 1920, President A. N. Jarvis, presiding. The session was opened with devotionals, led by J. D. O'Dell.

Committees were appointed as follows:

Credentials and Enrollment—J. C. Duncan, Mrs. Chris Haw, E. H. Faris, C. Ed Beman.

Resolutions—Walter Schenck, W. M. Sutherland, A. M. Wagner, J. S. Bellamy.

Nominations—John Wormhoudt, John Sywassink, P. F. Wenger, W. F. Stought.

Opening remarks by the president, A. N. Jarvis. General Conference reports by A. N. Jarvis and Geo. E. Wahl. Address—"Personal Evangelism," Rev. L. G. Rohrbaugh, Student Pastor, Iowa City. Address—"Stewardship of Property," J. B. McNeil, Mt. Pleasant.

Friday, Afternoon Session.

Opened at 1:30 with devotionals. Address—"The Task of a Financial Secretary," C. Ed Beman, Oskaloosa. Address—"Conference Claimants," Dr. S. J. Greenfield, Chicago. Address—"Stewardship of Service," Dr. T. F. Ccoke, Burlington.

The following committee was appointed to confer with a like committee of the Iowa Conference, to devise ways and means of entertaining the annual Conference. C. Ed Beman, Mrs. Chris Haw, C. G. Gloeckler, W. M. Sutherland.

The Committee later reported as follows:

Your committee to whom the matter of Conference Entertainment was referred, beg leave to report as follows:

1. That the Conference make an apportionment of five cents per member to each of the charges of the Conference to pay the expense of the pastors in attendance on the annual conference. The same to be forwarded to the Conference Treasurer by the pastor with his annual report..

2. That each member in attendance upon the annual Conference be allowed a maximum of fifty cents per day for lodging and one dollar and twenty-five cents per day for board, in addition to his railway fare.

3. The place of meeting shall be required to guarantee an adequate number of rooms for lodging at an average price not to exceed fifty cents per day, and ample facilities for board and suitable housing for the purposes of the Conference session, and to pay all running expenses of the buildings so used.

J. C. Duncan,
E. H. Faris,

Mrs. Chris Haw,
C. Ed Beman.

On motion the report was adopted as read.

Saturday Morning, September 4th.

Session opened at 9 a. m., with devotionals. Address—"The Adult Bible Class," Willam S. Bovard. Address—"The Mission of the Church School,"—Dr. U. S. Smith, President, Iowa Wesleyan. Address—"Conference Claimants from a Layman's Viewpoint," Ernest Earley, Newton.

The Committee on Resolutions reported as follows:

The Committee on Resolutions of the Laymen's Association of the Iowa Conference in its annual session, tenders for adoption the following resolutions:

We wish to thank the Congregationalists for the use of their church during the meeting of the Laymen's Association.

We note with pleasure that members of the different religious denominations are growing closer together in the work of our Master, and are glad to extend the hand of Christian fellowship to all other churches, without regard to creed.

We heartily endorse the movement to increase the permanent fund for the disabled ministers and their families.

We are also pleased to endorse the White Cross movement, the money being raised to be used in the support of Methodist Hospitals.

Resolved—(1). We appreciate and endorse the religious provision which is being made by the Wesley Foundation of Iowa for our Methodist students at the State University at Iowa City, and Agricultural College at Ames.

(2). Realizing our responsibility to this work and the necessity of a more adequate program, we recommend to the Iowa Annual Conference, that an apportionment of twenty-five cents per member be made to the charges, five (5) cents per member for University pastors, and twenty (20) cents for building purposes, providing the other Conferences concur.

We heartily endorse the action of the Conference in admitting the lay delegates as members of the Annual Conference.

Respectfully submitted by the committee.

Walter Schenck, A. M. Wagner,
W. M. Sutherland, J. S. Bellamy,

On motion the above resolutions were read and adopted.

Saturday Afternoon, 1:30.

The Committee on Enrollment report an attendance of seventy-two, with dues paid, \$46.00.

The Committee on Nominations failing to make a report because of the absence of two members of the committee, on motion of Walter Schenck, the present Officers were nominated, and on motion elected for the ensuing year.

President—A. N. Jarvis, Burlington.

Vice-Presidents—Henry Hervey, Ottumwa; Dean Taylor, Fairfield;; Ernest Earley, Newton; E. H. Faris, Brighton.

Secretary-Treasurer—Geo. E. Wahl, Muscatine.

The following were in attendance:

President A. N. Jarvis.

Vice-Presidents Ernest Earley, Henry Hervey.

Secretary Geo. E. Wahl.

Burlington District

Batavia—C. H. Kreasm, Mrs. C. H. Kreasm.

Burlington, Grace—A. N. Jarvis.

Burlington, First—Walter Schenck.

Burlington, Harrison Ave.—Fred Outjenbrms.

Mt. Pleasant—J. C. Duncan, C. G. Gloeckler, N. C. Buck, J. B. McNeil.

Hillsboro—S. J. Donaldson.

Plano—H. W. Bollman.

Salem—Chas. E. Hill.

Wayland—P. F. Wenger.

Muscatine District

Brighton—E. H. Faris, C. H. Jones, J. K. Thomas, Thos. Heiring

Marengo—R. G. Popham.

Muscatine—George E. Wahl.

North English—H. Harrington, Mrs H. Harrington.

Sweetland—D. M. Roberts, John Sywassink.

Washington—W. M. Sutherland.

Wapello—C. A. Brown.

Wellman—Robert Henderson, Mrs. R. Henderson.

Ottumwa District.

Albia—Mrs. W. A. Longnecker, Mrs. O. U. Conwell, Mrs. A. E. Van Schoiack

Bloomfield—J. M. Kreuson, Geo. M. Burnett.

Eldon—Mrs. Louise Burns

Ottumwa—J. W. Neasham, Mrs. Chris Haw, Francis B. Haw, John Worhoudt, Mrs. W. H. Perdew.

Pittsburg—Mrs. W. R. Watts.

Oskaloosa District.

Brooklyn—J. W. Johnston.

Beacon—Mrs. Everette Sabin.

Deep River—E. W. Elliott.

Delta—John Hasty.

Eddyville—W. S. Spim.

Killduff—Frank Wilcox, Mrs. Hattie Wilcox, W. D. McKinney.

Kellogg—Mrs. S. A. Morris.

Knoxville—S. A. Roberts, C. N. Crauch, J. S. Bellamy.

Montezuma—S. B. Swerling.

Martinsburg—C. E. Hawk.

Malcolm—H. D. Euebhon, J. C. Knedick, C. O. Brown.

Newton—E. L. Earley, Mrs. E. L. Earley, Frank Forker, W. J. Talbut, G. E. Warnor

Oskaloosa—C. Ed Beman, Mrs. C. E. Barnard.

Reasnor—C. E. Carter, J. R. Russell.

Sigourney—W. H. Hamilton, W. H. Needham, Floyd Page

What Cheer—J. T. Halliday.

Financial Statement.**Receipts:**

Ballance on hand -----	\$50.60
Dues 1920 session -----	46.00
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	\$96.60

Disbursements:

J. K. Latta, printing -----	\$ 6.90
Printing minutes of last session -----	9.00
Postage -----	4.40
Printing cards and 1000 envelopes -----	6.00
Officers expenses -----	19.70
Balance -----	50.60
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	\$96.60

PROGRAM OF THE CONFERENCE

TUESDAY, AUGUST 31, 1920.

- 8:00 a. m.—Meeting of the Board of Examiners.
7:30 p. m.—Open House and Informal Reception—
Dr. and Mrs. Wasser, assisted by the Grinnell Church

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1920.

Morning.

- 8:30—Opening and Organization of the Conference.
11:45—Exposition, The Book of Acts - - Bishop H. C. Stuntz, D. D.

Afternoon.

- 1:30—Sunday School Exhibit and Institute—
Addresses—Rev. H. M. Pingery and Rev. Warren T.
Powell, Chicago, Ill.
2:30—Addresses—
(a) The Negro and Education.
(b) The Present Status of the Prohibition Movement.
4:00—Sermon—The God of Things as They Are—
The Rev. James M. M. Gray, D. D., Kansas City, Mo.

Evening.

- 7:30—Address—The Home Mission and Reconstruction—
The Rev. E. E. Higley, D. D., Des Moines.
8:15—Moving Pictures, "Expanding Years."

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1920.

Morning.

- 8:30—Conference session.
10:45—Institute—The Rural Church, a Feature Program—
Prof. Earl A. Roadman, Fayette, Ia.
11:45—Exposition, The Book of Acts - - .- Bishop Stuntz, D. D

Afternoon.

- 1:30—Sunday School Exhibit and Institute—
Addresses—Mr. Pingery and Mr. Powell.
2:30—Addresses—
(a) Hospitals and Homes—Dr. Newton E. Davis, Chicago, Ill.
(b) The Epworth League.
4:00—Sermon, The Clue to Experience - - - - - Dr. Gray

Evening.

- 7:30—Addresses - - The Hon. Elsworth Rominger, Bloomfield, Ia.
8:30—Complimentary Concert - - - - - Prof. Elias Blum, Director
The music rendered will be selections from Prof. Blum's
own compositions.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1920.

Morning.

- 8:30—Conference Session.
11:00—Address to the Ministry - - - - - Bishop Stuntz

*Program of the Conference.***Afternoon.**

- 1:30—Sunday School Exhibit and Institute—
Addresses—Mr. Pingery and Mr. Powell.
- 2:30—Anniversaries—The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society—
Address—Miss Ruth Partridge, a native of India.
(b) The Woman's Home Missionary Society—
Addresses—Mrs. F. E. Day and Others.
- 4:00—Sermon, The Foundation of Reconstructive Faith - - Dr. Gray
- 5:30—Annual Banquet, Iowa Wesleyan College.

Evening.

- 7:30—Address, Education—
President J. H. Hillman, Indianola, Ia.
- 8:15—Address, Methodism at Iowa State College (illustrated by
Stereopticon Pictures)—
The Rev. Lewis A. Bradford, Ames, Ia.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1920.**Morning.**

- 8:30—Conference Session.
- 10:45—Round Table—An Adequate Program of Religious Education
The Rev. W. S. Bovard, D. D., Chicago, Ill.
- 11:45—Exposition, The Book of Acts - - - - Bishop Stuntz

Afternoon.

- 2:30—Joint Session of the Annual Conference and the Laymen's
Association.
Addresses—Bishop Stuntz and Others.
- 4:00—Sermon, The Divine Motive - - - - - Dr. Gray

Evening.

- 7:30—Address—The Rev. Perry O. Hanson, Missionary to China.
- 8:15—Moving Picture, "The Stream of Life."

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1920.**Morning.**

- 9:00—Annual Conference Love Feast—Dr. T. J. Myers, Leader.
- 10:30—Sermon—Bishop Homer C. Stuntz, D. D., LL. D., Omaha, Neb.

Afternoon.

- 3:00—Memorial Services.
Sermon—The Rev. J. W. Pool, D. D., Brooklyn, Ia.
Memorials of Bishops Matt. S. Hughes and J. N. Vincent.
Rev. J. E. Corley and others.
Addresses by Bishop Stuntz and others.
- 4:30—Ordination Services.

Evening.

- 7:30—Sermon-address, The Hour for Enlistment—
Bishop William F. McDowell, D. D., LL. D., Washington, D. C.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1920.

- 8:30—Conference Session.

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HISTORICAL

REPORT OF CONFERENCE HISTORIAN.

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE IOWA CONFERENCE.

Dear Fathers and Brethren: The work of the past year has shown a great deal of interest as I have been engaged in endeavoring to gather facts concerning the early history of Iowa Methodism. As the years pass I discover that but little care is taken of early history and preserving the old records. I found one set of records in a basket at a church that were full of interest; among which was the quarterly conference records reaching back to the early fifties and giving historical items which reached back almost to the beginning of the conference in 1844.

The church at Chillicothe had much to do with the beginning of the work in this section, and William W. Knight, one of the charter members of the conference, and the second one to die, sleeps in the Chillicothe cemetery. There has been some valuable books handed me for examination and care reaching back to the early history of the Columbus City charge.

There should be great care taken to see that no records lay around loose, and thus be destroyed. A few years ago I found a church record of membership some forty miles from the charge to which it belonged, and I had the pleasure of taking it to where it belonged. I have also found a valuable record in a store, which had no business there, and should have been kept where it belonged; I got it to its place of residence quickly.

I feel like urging every pastor in the conference to be careful in the care of church records, whether of membership or quarterly conference, and see that they are not mutilated, forgotten and destroyed.

During the year I have had bound a set of the Daily Ohio State Journal giving a daily account of the great Centenary celebration at Columbus, Ohio. This record will increase in value as the days pass by and many of the scenes and times are forgotten. I have also had bound two sets of the conference minutes commencing with 1844 to 1853 and 1857, one set for the collection at Mt. Pleasant, and the other to be deposited with the Methodist Historical collection of the State Historical collection at Des Moines.

That history may be preserved as the years pass by, I have secured a picture of the last session of the conference at Muscatine and had properly framed without any expense, which has been placed in the historical collection at Mt. Pleasant.

After a long hunt I have found and had printed a fine set of labels for the collection at Mt. Pleasant; by these we can better learn where many of these records and valuables come from.

Plans have been inaugurated, which I trust may succeed in placing an oil portrait of John Wesley in the Iowa Historical Building which I trust will have the hearty co-operation of the conference. The work was inaugurated by the historians of Iowa Methodism at a recent meeting at Des Moines. I shall be glad to assist as far as possible in any of this early history, and ask that such matters that touch early Iowa Methodism shall be placed where I may get in touch with them.

Your humble servant,

H. C. MILLICE, Historian.

Statistician's Report---

List Number	NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	MINISTTRIAL SUPPORT												Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency
			Support of Pastor		Supp't Dis. S.	Supp't Bish's		Supp't Con Cl								
			Total Claim including House Rent	Total Paid including House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid					
1	Batavia	J. P. Hehner	\$ 1600	\$ 1600	\$200	\$112	\$112	\$ 28	\$ 28	\$120	\$120	\$ 1860	\$---			
2	Birmingham	H. W. Munster	1700	1700	200	120	120	30	30	130	130	1980	---			
3	Bonaparte		1000	1000	100	64	64	16	16	88	88	1168	---			
4	Burlington, First	J. H. Cudlipp	4100	4100	600	280	280	70	70	385	385	4835	---			
5	Burlington, Grace	E. W. Stodghill	1900	1900	300	128	128	32	32	182	182	2242	---			
6	" Harrison Ave.	T. F. Cooke	700	700		56	56	14	14	57	57	827	---			
7	Burlington Circuit	J. W. Stine	1400	1400	200	96	96	24	24	132	132	1652	---			
8	Danville	W. E. Buell	1750	1750	150	128	128	32	32	160	160	2070	---			
9	Donnellson		925	925	150	62	77	15	15	67	67	1084	---			
10	Fairfield	C. L. Tennant	2500	2500	300	176	176	44	44	387	242	2962	145			
11	Fairfield Circuit	F. S. Seeds	1500	1500	200	104	104	26	26	117	117	1747	---			
12	Farmington	G. H. Smith	1400	1400	200	96	96	24	24	93	93	1613	---			
13	Ft. Madison, First	E. A. Bentzinger	1900	1900	360	123	123	31	31	160	160	2214	---			
14	" Sante Fe Ave.	N. A. Swickard	1600	1600	200	112	112	28	28	131	131	1871	---			
15	Hillsboro	O. T. Wilson	930	930	100	66	66	16	16	62	62	1074	---			
16	Keokuk	M. E. Nethercut	2260	2260	360	152	152	38	38	225	225	2675	---			
17	Kingston		1025	1025	125	72	72	18	18	99	99	1214	---			
18	Libertyville	J. C. Behrens	1550	1550	150	112	112	28	28	119	119	1809	---			
19	Mediapolis	J. E. Newsom	1600	1600	200	112	112	28	28	154	154	1894	---			
20	Montrose	G. W. Barber	1150	1150	150	80	80	20	20	68	68	1318	---			
21	Morning Sun	J. S. Decker	1850	1850	250	128	128	32	32	152	152	2162	---			
22	Mt. Pleasant	W. R. Keeseey	2900	2900	400	200	200	50	50	369	369	3519	---			
23	Mt. Pleasant Circuit	J. A. Wilson	1650	1650	250	112	112	28	28	110	110	1900	---			
24	Mt. Sterling	R. W. Luce	1350	1350	150	96	96	24	24	132	132	1602	---			
25	Mt. Union	H. E. Butler	1550	1550	150	112	112	28	28	124	124	1814	---			
26	New London	C. E. Coggeshall	1850	1850	250	128	128	32	32	150	150	2160	---			
27	Salem	V. Bloomquist	1020	1020	120	72	72	18	18	80	80	1190	---			
28	Sperry	H. B. Green	1100	1100	100	80	80	20	20	80	100	1300	---			
29	Stockport	A. L. Jordan	1350	1450	150	96	96	24	24	110	110	1680	---			
30	Trenton		250	250		20	20	5	5	19	19	294	---			
31	Wayland	W. H. Slack	1750	1750	250	120	120	30	30	165	165	2065	---			
32	West Burlington	F. P. Frye	1400	1400	200	96	96	24	24	97	97	1617	---			
33	Winfield	B. G. Hankins	2200	2200	200	160	160	40	40	220	220	2620	---			
34	Yarmouth	R. T. Richards	1575	1575	175	112	112	28	28	125	125	1840	---			
			\$54285	\$54385	6890	3783	3798	\$945	\$945	4869	4744	\$63872	\$145			

Burlington District

List Number	BAPTISMS.		CHURCH MEMBER'S				EP. L.		CHURCH PROPERTY.										GEN. C. EX		
	Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Baptized Children under Instruction for Membership	Prep. Mem.	Full Mem- bers	Deaths During Year	Senior Members	Junior Members	Church Buildings	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Par...	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses—See ¶112, §2 for List.	Apportioned for the Quadrennium	Paid this Year	Balance Due for Quadrennium	GEN. C. EX	
																					Now on Roll.	Members on Roll
1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
2	14	26	28	3	285	15	3	20	2	\$ 9000	1	\$ 2500	\$ 990	\$	\$	\$ 240	\$	\$	\$		
3					275	45	6		1	2000	1	5000	350			300					
4					72				2	8000	1	2000		150		200					
5	12	21	57	84	1073	65	19	80	1	90000	1	12000	187			3422	18				
6				23	474		8	60	1	30000	1	4000	2360	1021	900	500					
7	19	1		22	178	10	27	20	1	6000						1065					
8	7	11		26	317	3			4	1200	1	2600	100			215					
9					301	6			2	6000	1	3000	65			175					
10	25	4			217	11			3	12500	1	3200	450			150					
11		6		28	1025	125	125		1	20000	1	6000	37			2200					
12	6			7	237	16	5	30	5	18000	1	4000	270			200	16				
13				12	169	7	4	20	1	12000	1	4000		1450		150					
14	33	5		6	345	6	2	35	1	19500	1	3500	2100	425	7500	300					
15	3	3		82	385	36			1	28000	1	2000	240	1310	2400	1076					
16	33	12		5	173	25	3		3	7800	1	1200				110					
17				61	811	165	10	50	1	50000	1	5000			5000	1995					
18	22				160	19	2		2	7000	1	2500		700	675	142					
19	6	2		46	346	4	4	50	2	8000	1	2000	100			250	10				
20		9		15	340	30	5	30	20	18000	1	4500	500			400	8				
21					136	11	1		2	6500	1	1500	200			96	2				
22	9	11		10	307	34	3		1	10000	1	3000				375					
23	28	5	10	20	794	72	10	75	25	55000	1	6500	300	4600	1000	2367	10				
24	2			40	314	4	1		4	10000	1	6000	538			158					
25	16	12		2	260	7	2		3	10000	1	2500	150			150					
26	4	2		31	255		2	45	3	11500	1	2500	453			426	8				
27				9	265		6	30	20	28000	1	4000	544			500					
28	2	5			142		8		3	12200	1	1500				300					
29	4			10	125	20			3	9000	1	3000				200	10				
30	5			12	260	10	1		4	10000	1	2500	50			175	6				
31					43				1	5000						64					
32	49			54	325	8	2	9	18	16000	1	5000				465					
33					220	8	1	12	21	7500			80	320	3280	120					
34	10	8		15	470	60	4	40	1	25000	1	4000				550					
35	9	14	9	7	257	8	3	21	9	12000	1	2500				384					
36	3	334	153	120	669	222	11356	826	137	752	240	67	580700	31	113500	10064	9826	20905	19420	88	

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			Total Claim including House Rent.....	Total Paid including House Rent.....	Rental Value of Parsonage.....	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid					
1	Ainsworth.....	A. W. McBlain	\$ 1750	\$ 1750	\$150	\$128	\$128	\$ 32	\$ 32	\$160	\$160	\$ 2070	\$.....			
2	Amish.....	G. W. Younkin	1052	1052	108	96	96	24	24	120	120	1292				
3	Brighton.....	W. S. Gardner	1685	1685	185	120	120	30	30	165	165	2000				
4	Columbus City.....	Harold Ward	625	625		50	50	12	12	62	62	749				
5	Columbus Junction.....	L. R. Burdock	1300	1300	200	90	90	22	22	110	110	1522				
6	Crawfordsville.....	J. F. Barnett	1400	1400	150	100	100	25	25	125	125	1650				
7	Fairview.....	C. E. Burdine	1480	1480	180	104	104	26	26	130	130	1740				
8	Grandview.....	W. G. Thorn	1050	1050	150	72	72	18	18	90	90	1230				
9	Guernsey.....	W. M. Crowther	1500	1500	300	96	96	24	24	132	132	1752				
10	Kalona.....	O. E. McBride	1800	1800	150	132	132	33	33	165	166	2131				
11	Keota.....	R. L. Patterson	1700	1700	200	120	120	30	30	150	150	2000				
12	Koszta.....	C. G. Ellis	1725	1725	125	128	128	32	32	160	160	2045				
13	Ladora.....	J. R. Rudkin	1450	1450	250	96	96	24	24	132	132	1702				
14	Letts.....	David Phillips	1600	1600	200	112	112	28	28	140	140	1880				
15	Lexington.....	H. C. Millice	1350	1350	150	96	96	24	24	120	120	1590				
16	Lone Tree.....	J. J. Pritchard	1650	1650	150	120	120	30	30	150	150	1950				
17	Marengo.....	C. A. Field	2100	2100	300	144	144	36	36	180	180	2460				
18	Muscatine, First.....	George Blagg	3000	3000	500	200	200	50	50	250	250	3500				
19	Muscatine, North.....	C. D. Nash	1350	1350	150	96	96	24	24	120	120	1590				
20	Muscatine, South.....	C. L. Stafford	920	920	120	64	64	16	16	80	80	1080				
21	Nichols.....	J. A. Worrell	1700	1700	200	120	120	30	30	150	150	2000				
22	North English.....	J. H. Krenmyre	2300	2300	300	160	160	40	40	200	200	2700				
23	North Liberty.....	W. H. Dillon	1340	1340	240	88	88	22	22	110	110	1560				
24	Oakville.....	P. S. Apfel	1550	1550	150	112	112	28	28	140	140	1830				
25	Oxford.....	J. G. Vanatta	837	837	150	98	98	20	20	110	110	1065				
26	Riverside.....	Richard Collier	1125	1125	125	96	96	24	24	120	120	1365				
27	Sweetland.....	P. B. Gray	1300	1300	100	96	96	24	24	120	120	1540				
28	Tiffin.....	E. C. Brooks	1120	1120	120	80	80	20	20	100	100	1320				
29	Victor.....	R. V. Pike	1800	1800	300	120	120	30	30	150	150	2100				
30	Wapello.....	W. S. Moore	1600	1600	200	112	112	28	28	140	140	1880				
31	Washington.....	W. W. Bowers	3400	3400	400	240	240	60	60	300	300	4000				
32	Webster.....	J. D. O'dell	1550	1550	200	108	108	27	27	135	135	1820				
33	Wellman.....	A. H. Barker	2000	2000	200	144	144	36	36	180	180	2360				
34	West Chester.....	H. C. Druse	1350	1350	150	96	96	24	24	120	120	1590				
35	West Liberty.....	A. B. Cadwell	2300	2300	300	160	160	40	40	200	200	2700				
36	Williamsburg.....	J. F. Rex	1800	1800	300	120	120	30	30	150	150	2100				
37	Wilton.....	C. D. Loose	1750	1750	150	128	128	32	32	160	160	2070				
		Totals.....	\$59309	\$59309	7303	4242	4242	1055	1055	5326	5327	\$69933	\$.....			

Muscatine District

Local Prea.-No. on Chge List Numbers	BAPTISMS.		CHURCH MEMBER'S				EP. L.		CHURCH PROPERTY.										GEN. C. Ex.	
	Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Baptized Children under instruction for Membership	Prep. Mem. Received During Year	Now on Roll	Full Mem- bers. Non-Resident Members on Roll	Deaths During Year	Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Pars.	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	See ¶112, §2 for List	Current Expenses —	Balance Due for Quadrennium	Paid this Year
1	9	5		20	1	298	19	2	25	1	\$25000	1	\$2500	\$100	\$	\$	\$280	\$	\$10	\$
2						184	24		30	3	4125	1	2800				200		3	
3	2	9		20		224	20	7	20	1	10000	1	3000	500	900		400			
4	1	2		1		78	15	1	15	12	4000			1350	150		100		5	
5	5	4		9		140	12	2		2	6000	1	4000		100		124			
6		3				170	15	1		1	7500	1	8000	36			150			
7						63				2	5000			400			125		12	
8	2	17		10		127			42	15	4000	1	3000				114			
9		2		2		108	6	1	12	1	4500	1	6000	3000		1800	70			
10		20	12	1	12	191	48		15	10	25000	1	3000				150		2	
11	5	4	11	5	3	237	22	4	40	3	11000	1	3500	600	400		350			
12	3	2	1			50	8			2	3000	1	1500				100			
13	8	6	6	14	14	118			15	1	5000	1	3000	415			200			
14	1	4		6		196	16			1	8000	1	3500	50			250			
15		4				160				3	7000	1	1800	1100			275			
16	4	9		14	7	232		1	50	15	12000	1	1700				200			
17	14	28				369	24	5	45	50	50000	1	5000	420	385		502		5	
18	1	10		15	8	889	28	8	75	93	100000	1	6000	257			4936		10	
19	9	13		12	12	270	6	3	76	3	9200	1	2400	45			312		6	
20		1			3	230	12	3	40	2	8000	1	2000				250		5	
21	9	3		12	2	350	75	6	70	3	16000	1	5000	185	1030		300		5	
22	18	13		31		346		4		2	12000	1	6000	425			475			
23	4	7	15			90		1	30	1	6000	1	5000	4065	1367	2859	200			
24	2	19		6	4	120	38	2	35	30	8000	1	2000	66	100		212			
25		5				152	23	2	50	1	1800	1	2000	100			165			
26		3	4	1	4	90	4	1		2	10500	1	2500	50			140			
27	30	3		35	9	235	8		27	4	10500	1	1200				305		10	
28		1				73	7		25				500	75			150			
29	2	9	20	3	11	206	14	3	20	25	30000	1	5000				400			
30	10	2	10	10		315	15	3	18	1	5000	1	3000	1700			648			
31	47	20	15	42	18	1290		8	120	1	85000	1	4000	600			5800			
32	3	4	4	19		251	29	4	28	17	26000	1	4000	448			245			
33	3	20		36	16	362	15	6	35	2	6500	1	4500	200			350			
34						93	40	4		1	12000	1	3500				200			
35	11	22	20	39	10	364	39	2	65		20000	1	5000	600			1200			
36		1		8	10	206	43	1	20	1	20000	1	4500	115	1846	2458	512		10	
37	9	3		26	8	187	7		98	1	13400	1	2500	625			338		4	
3	218	291	118	397	152	9064	632	85	1141	267	591025	34	122900	\$17527	\$6128	\$7267	\$20728		\$92	

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List Number	NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT											
			Support of Pastor			Supp't Dis. S.		Supp't Bish's		Supp't Con Cl		Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	
			Total Claim including House Rent	Total Paid including House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid			
1	Attica	R. J. Arms	\$ 1580	\$ 1580	\$180	\$112	\$112	\$ 23	\$ 23	\$102	\$102	\$ 1817	\$...	
2	Barnes City	J. A. Moorman	1600	1600	200	112	112	24	24	102	102	1838	...	
3	Beacon	Everett Sabin	700	682	100	48	48	6	5	43	41	776	21	
4	Brooklyn	J. W. Pool	2360	2360	360	160	160	36	36	198	198	2754	...	
5	Bussey	C. E. Fitzsimmons	1320	1265	120	96	92	22	21	100	95	1473	65	
6	Cedar	Arthur Swanson	1400	1400	200	96	96	23	23	113	113	1632	...	
7	Deep River	Lloyd Tennant	1950	1950	150	144	144	30	30	165	165	2289	...	
8	Delta	R. G. Nye	1650	1650	150	120	120	30	30	132	165	1965	...	
9	Eddyville	E. S. Hehner	1360	1360	160	96	96	21	21	100	100	1577	...	
10	Ewart	Frank Rumer	584	584	...	47	47	12	12	33	33	676	...	
11	Fremont	J. W. Carson	1600	1600	200	112	112	28	28	154	154	1894	...	
12	Givin		200	200	...	16	16	4	4	22	22	242	...	
13	Grinnell	W. C. Wasser	3500	3500	500	240	240	50	50	330	330	4120	...	
14	Harvey	S. E. Bushendorf	925	925	100	40	40	16	16	63	63	1044	...	
15	Hedrick	W. W. Whitman	2047	2047	360	135	135	30	30	165	165	2377	...	
16	Kellogg	Irwin Friday	830	830	200	80	80	10	10	58	58	978	...	
17	Kilduff	W. G. Barr	1550	1520	150	112	112	26	26	155	155	1821	22	
18	Knoxville	H. B. Scoles	2800	2800	300	200	200	50	50	275	275	3325	...	
19	Knoxville Circuit	W. C. Gray	1110	924	110	80	65	20	16	110	89	1094	226	
20	Lacey	M. F. Campbell	1150	1150	150	80	80	10	10	47	47	1287	...	
21	Lynnville	M. E. Hayes	1200	1200	...	96	96	20	20	56	56	1372	...	
22	Malcolm	W. B. Ireland	1550	1468	150	112	105	28	26	102	98	1697	95	
23	Montezuma	L. H. Lanning	2300	2300	300	160	160	41	41	202	202	2703	...	
24	New Sharon	M. D. Cox	1750	1750	250	120	120	30	30	165	165	2065	...	
25	Newton	C. B. Hankins	3200	3200	500	216	216	54	54	297	297	3767	...	
26	Ollie-Pekin	R. F. Sturgell	1400	1400	150	120	120	25	25	102	102	1647	...	
27	Oskaloosa	L. M. Grigsby	3300	3300	300	240	240	56	56	330	330	3926	...	
28	Pella	J. E. Ward	1200	1200	200	80	80	18	18	86	86	1384	...	
29	Reasnor	F. A. Moore	1600	1469	100	120	116	24	22	132	120	1727	149	
30	Rose Hill	W. C. Tinney	997	898	100	71	64	18	16	50	40	1018	118	
31	Sigourney	C. R. Zimmerman	1800	1800	300	120	120	30	30	142	142	2092	...	
32	Sonora	W. J. Scott	1650	1650	150	120	120	30	30	165	165	1965	...	
33	Taintor	A. C. Niblack	240	240	...	35	35	...	...	...	...	275	...
34	Thornburg	W. E. Tinney	1600	1600	100	120	120	24	24	100	100	1844	...	
35	Tracy	George Filmer	1100	1100	200	72	72	18	18	58	58	1248	...	
36	What Cheer	T. C. Kennedy	1800	1800	200	128	128	24	24	176	176	2128	...	
		Totals	\$56903	\$56310	6690	4056	4019	\$911	\$899	4630	4609	\$65837	\$696	

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	Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Baptized Children under instruction for Membership	Prep. Mem. Received Dqr- ing Year	Full Mem- bers. Non-Resident Members on Roll.	Deaths During Year	Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Pars.	Paid on Old Indeb- tedness on Churches and Parsonages.	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses - See ¶112, §2 for List	Paid this Year	Apportioned for the Quadrennium	Balance Due for Quadrennium	
1	9	3	7	5	168	41	2	20	7	\$ 7900	1	\$ 2000	\$ 260	\$	\$	\$ 250	\$	\$	\$	
2	13	2	12	4	160	16	3	20	3	17000	1	4000	1160			355				
3	19	3	26	6	85	12	3	18	2	5500	1	1000	93		450	90				
4	15				403	70	3	70	1	35000	1	5000	220			1004				
5					264	50	2	50	3	10000	1	3000				478				
6		1	22	25	120		2	18	2	5000	1	2000	1000			100				
7	6	16		9	265		2	30	1	9500	1	1800	102			328				
8	1	1		4	342	56	3	30	3	9000	1	2500	173			304				
9				4	175	22	3	30	2	9500	1	2500	154	135		230				
10					102		3		3	3500	1	1100				150				
11		3			195	11	3		2	8000	1	4000	400			200				
12					56				1	1500										
13	1	20	32		860	91	11	140	1	50000	1	6000	1600			2500				
14					95	50	1		2	5000	1	1000	215			125				
15	3		14		194	4	6	42	1	30000	1	6000	2800			350				
16		5	1		81	6		15	2	5000	1	2500				175				
17		8	6	5	364	60	6		4	23000	1	2500				250				
18					760		13	90	1	30000	1	6000				2325				
19					194				4	8200						72				
20	1	9	50	45	110	10	1		2	5000	1	1000	600			150				
21					152	20			3	6000	1	1100	200			190				
22					208	20		18	2	14000	1	4000	13			132				
23	6	5	6		536	18	3	100	1	25000	1	4000	229			614				
24	7	5	15	10	225	68	4	20	1	35000	1	2000	200			368				
25	1	2			1050	50		150	1	150000	1	10000	900	5000	25800	2900				
26					150	30		35	2	30000	1	2500				179				
27	55	15	139		1172	100	12	112	1	75000	1	6000	400			4225	14			
28	8	5	15		121		2	34	1	5000	1	4000	1365	35		232				
29	2	18	16		280		2	24	3	10000	1	1000	2500			1500				
30					109				2	3500	1	1000				35				
31	21	3			340	60	4	30	1	11000	1	3000				450				
32		7			136	12	1	60	3	15000	1	2500				175				
33					23				1	2000	1	1500								
34		3			248	12	2	35	3	12000	1	1000			500	400				
35	1		10		116	5	2		2	10500	1	4500	25	1800		538				
36	2	4	6	10	253		3	40	1	2000	1	2000				250				
7	183	136	117	349	99	10112	894	101	1201	154	75	683600	34	104000	\$14609	\$ 6970	\$26750	\$21624	\$ 18	

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			Support of Pastor		Supp't Dis. S.	Supp't Bish's	Supp't Con Cl		Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency				
			Total Claim including House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim						
											Total Paid Including House Rent			
1	Agency	A. M. Smith	\$ 1850	\$ 1850	\$200	\$148	\$148	\$ 33	\$ 33	\$165	\$165	\$ 2196	\$ ---	
2	Albia	W. A. Longnecker	2360	2360	360	180	180	40	40	198	198	2778	---	
3	Avery-Hilton	F. M. Garrett	1060	1011	60	90	90	20	19	55	52	1172	53	
4	Blakesburg	F. B. Tucker	823	823	---	74	74	16	16	67	67	980	---	
5	Bloomfield	W. J. Fowler	2500	2500	300	198	198	44	44	248	248	2990	---	
6	Buxton	C. H. Boos	900	900	---	81	81	18	18	41	44	1043	---	
7	Cantril	R. V. Felt	1750	1750	150	144	144	32	32	125	125	2051	---	
8	Centerville	Thomas Osborn	2800	2800	400	216	216	54	54	256	256	3326	---	
9	Chillicothe	R. L. LeMott	1300	1300	100	108	108	24	24	115	115	1547	---	
10	Cincinnati	C. C. Goltry	1350	1350	150	108	108	24	24	66	66	1548	---	
11	Drakesville	W. L. Burgess	1000	1000	100	81	81	18	18	43	43	1142	---	
12	Douds-Leando	C. L. Ellis	1400	1600	100	117	135	26	30	140	140	1905	---	
13	Eldon	O. J. Fix	1800	1800	300	135	135	30	30	155	155	2120	---	
14	Exline	F. V. Getty	1109	1109	90	91	91	20	20	73	73	1293	---	
15	Farson	Charles Foster	1300	1300	100	108	108	24	24	45	45	1477	---	
16	Floris	Harold Singer	1300	1300	100	108	108	24	24	67	67	1499	---	
17	Highland Center	J. W. Lambert	972	972	120	77	77	17	17	34	34	1100	---	
18	Iconium	J. F. Denman	1119	1119	161	77	86	19	21	105	98	1324	7	
19	Jerome	S. P. Trostle	1400	1400	100	104	104	26	26	55	55	1585	---	
20	Keosauqua	J. C. Cauglan	1700	1700	200	135	135	30	30	135	135	2000	---	
21	Kirkville	Treverton Warren	1620	1620	120	90	90	20	20	88	88	1818	---	
22	Lovilia	W. J. Hamilton	1800	1800	300	135	135	30	30	184	184	2149	---	
23	Milton	P. M. Conant	2050	2050	250	162	162	36	36	185	185	2433	---	
24	Moravia	A. B. Hightshoe	1600	1600	200	126	126	28	28	154	154	1908	---	
25	Moulton	M. A. Banker	2250	2250	250	180	180	40	40	177	177	2647	---	
26	Mystic	C. D. Loehr	1700	1700	200	135	135	30	30	96	96	1961	---	
27	Ottumwa, First	F. E. Day	4700	4700	700	360	360	80	80	383	383	5523	---	
28	Ottumwa, Main St.	A. A. Heath	1900	1900	300	144	144	32	32	128	128	2204	---	
29	Ottumwa, Willard	W. A. Smith	2150	2150	300	166	166	37	37	182	182	2535	---	
30	Packwood	C. W. Cochran	1600	1600	200	126	126	28	28	77	77	1831	---	
31	Pittsburg	J. E. Milburn	1200	1200	---	108	108	24	24	54	54	1386	---	
32	Pulaski	L. L. Smith	1520	1465	120	126	120	25	23	92	89	1697	66	
33	Richland	C. E. Baumgarten	1400	1600	200	108	124	24	24	97	97	1845	---	
34	Troy	J. C. Austin	1050	1050	60	94	94	21	21	68	68	1233	---	
35	Unionville	C. B. Rayhill	1700	1700	200	135	135	30	30	65	65	1930	---	
36	West Grove	C. E. Ward	1300	1300	100	108	108	24	24	87	87	1519	---	
Totals			\$59333	\$59629	6591	4683	4720	1048	1051	4308	4295	\$69695	\$126	

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Name of Dist.	Name of Dist. Supt.												
Burlington Dist.....	E. J. Shook	\$54285	\$54385	\$ 6890	\$ 3783	\$ 3798	\$945	\$945	\$ 4869	\$ 4744	\$63872	\$145	
Muscatine Dist.....	G. L. Minear	59309	59309	7303	4242	4242	1055	1055	5326	5327	69933	---	
Oskaloosa Dist.....	J. M. Brown	56903	56310	6690	4056	4019	911	899	4630	4609	65837	696	
Ottumwa Dist.....	W. H. Perdew	59333	59629	6591	4683	4720	1048	1051	4308	4295	69695	126	
Totals this year		229830	229633	\$27474	\$16764	\$16779	3959	3950	\$19133	\$18975	269337	\$967	
Totals last year		197970	196697	25197	13772	13701	3426	3386	18960	18100	231884	2329	
Increase		\$31860	\$32936	\$ 2277	\$ 2992	\$ 3078	\$533	\$564	\$ 173	\$ 875	\$37453	\$---	
Decrease												136	

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	Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Baptized Children under Instruction for Membership	Prep. Mem. Received During Year	Now on Roll.	Full Members.		Senior Members	Junior Members	Church Buildings	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses—See ¶112, 22 for List.	Apportioned for the Quadrennium	Paid this Year	Balance Due for Quadrennium
						Non-Resident Members	Deaths During Year													
1	12	6	6	15	15	440	6	40	1	\$15000	1	\$3600	\$250	\$	\$	\$400	\$	\$		
2	8	11	2	26	9	578	8	43	1	25000	1	5000				1174				
3						175	25	36	4	8000	1	500	143			101	5			
4				8		149		25	4	8000	1	1500	145			205				
5	21	1		27		516	27	40	1	50000	1	8000			6500	1000	24			
6	1	14		75	4	75	16		30	1				400		350	8			
7	21			23	4	489		2		4	18500	1	3000	4723		340	7			
8	51	7		54		838	40	60	75	1	50000	1	8000			2472	25			
9	10	15	20	27	6	169	20	2		2	6700	1	1500	300		100				
10		7	7	26	23	240	10	2	20	3	3000	1	1000			240				
11						138	23	2		3	4000	1	800			140	1			
12	53	8		40	28	397	32	6	110	28	4	5500	2	1800		500	12			
13	1	5		8		329	7	5		2	10000	1	3000	1300		250				
14	1	3	2	6	6	112	4	2		5	6400	1	1000			175				
15	1			2		123	8	2		2	9000	2	3000	56		300	8			
16	1			13		135	22	1		3	5200	1	1500	90		140	2			
17		9		11		27	2			1	2500					170				
18	3		2	303		303		1	30	5	11000	2	2700			310				
19		14		120	12	120		1	30	2	4000	1	1500			325				
20	7	3		197		197	57	2		1	10000	1	3000	14		217	7			
21	1	3		119	9	119	9	6	24	2	6000	1	1900			721				
22	1	2		162	20	162	20			2	12000	1	3500			225				
23	9	1		465		465		4		2	20000	1	3500	1600		450	7			
24	71	2		81	12	363	18	4	30	2	10000	1	3750	600	150	215				
25	70	30		74		220	20	6		1	28000	1	2000			350	22			
26	1	8	1	236	24	236	24	1	20	2	8000	1	3000	750		650				
27	55	22		47	5	1303	340	8	54	1	135000	1	15000	200	5000	3280				
28	1	5	3	410	12	410	12	3	65	50	1	13000	1	3000	320	1850	905	12		
29	2	12	4	508	20	508	20	2	50	1	16000	1	2500			569	5			
30			6	173	6	173	6	2		3	10000	1	2500			185				
31	2	9	7	202		202		2		4	6000	1	800	80		80	14			
32	1			300	40	300	40	2	15	3	3500	1	1400	100		310	16			
33		2		241	34	241	34	3		2	10000	1	3000			346	5			
34				186	30	186	30			4	10000	1	1500			90	4			
35	6	5		125	25	125	25	20		1	7000	1	3400	25		150	4			
36	11	8		168	7	168	7	2		4	10000	1	1200	497		100	16			
15	468	181	65	658	169	10731	1039	111	752	183	85	556800	37	102350	\$11193	\$7400	\$33380	\$17535	\$214	

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3	334	153	120	669	222	11356	826	137	752	240	67	\$ 580700	31	113500	\$10064	\$ 9826	\$20905	\$19420	\$...	\$ 88	\$...
3	218	291	118	397	152	9064	632	85	1141	267	62	591026	34	122900	17527	6128	7267	20728	---	92	---
7	183	136	117	349	99	10112	894	101	1201	154	75	683600	34	104000	14609	6970	26750	21624	---	18	---
15	468	181	65	658	169	10731	1030	111	752	183	85	556800	37	102350	11193	7400	33380	17535	---	214	---
28	1203	761	420	2073	642	41263	3391	434	3846	844	289	\$2412125	136	442750	\$53393	\$30324	\$88302	\$79307	\$...	\$412	\$...
25	572	497	387	1113	408	40628	2893	545	4191	874	294	2140740	136	381800	44652	43855	99873	65716	---	970	---
3	631	264	33	960	234	635	498					\$ 271385		\$60950	\$ 8741	\$	\$	\$13591	\$...	\$	\$...
								111	345	30	5				13531	11571			\$...	\$558	---

Sunday Schools—Burlington District

List Number	NAME OF CHARGE.	SUNDAY SCHOOLS.														
		Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars, not including Home Department and Cradle Roll.	Members in the Home Department.	Children on the Cradle Roll.	Total Enrollment in all Dep'ts, including Cradle Roll, H. Dept., Officers, Teachers & Scholars.	Average Attendance of all Grades.	Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Prep. Members.	Scholars including the Home Dept. who are Ch. Mem. or Prep. Mem.	Members of S. S. Converted during Conf. Yr.	Accessions to the Church from Membership of S. S.	Collec. Bd. of	for	Sunday School Expenses: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	
													Church.	Sunday School.		10 per cent. of S. S. Miss'y Offering	S. S.	S. S.
1	Batavia	2	34	225	10	20	289	140	34	180	3	3	\$	\$	\$	151
2	Birmingham	2	35	250	18	35	338	180	31	180	28	27	\$	\$	\$	170
3	Bonaparte	2	12	100			112	80	11	60						100
4	Burlington, First	1	43	460	140	36	679	355	43	305	65	25				530
5	Burlington, Grace	1	31	366	18	50	465	241	31	200	18	18				364
6	" Harrison Ave.	1	14	175	30	19	238	116	14	100	3	3		6		148
7	Burlington Circuit	4	42	257	22	48	369	193	42	208	18	15				148
8	Danville	2	35	254	3	38	330	159	35					15		175
9	Donnellson	3	36	216		18	270	153								130
10	Fairfield	1	46	500	45	85	676	322	46	500	22	21				580
11	Fairfield Circuit	5	68	200		40	308	150	68	80	7	3				130
12	Farmington	1	19	121	20	20	180	65	17	70	8	9				100
13	Ft. Madison, First	1	25	200		20	245	170	25		15	10				241
14	" Sante Fe Ave.	1	34	300	54	85	473	215	33	200	73	54				210
15	Hillsboro	3	34	100		24	158	112	30	80	5	1				150
16	Keokuk	1	53	525	25	90	693	291	53		30	28				475
17	Kingston	2	20	150		30	200	75	20	135						100
18	Libertyville	2	27	242	20	18	307	200	27	250	24	24		81		200
19	Mediapolis	1	28	207	13	35	283	108	28		16	26				180
20	Montrose	3	35	206		20	261	140	35	55						138
21	Morning Sun	1	15	120	35	35	205	85	15	100	10	9				130
22	Mt. Pleasant	1	36	550	50	25	661	350	36	350	20	20				450
23	Mt. Pleasant Circuit	4	54	321			375	147	50	300	41	40				146
24	Mt. Sterling	3	36	165			201	118	29	75	2	2				100
25	Mt. Union	3	40	261		36	337	140	39		31	30				236
26	New London	1	20	200		28	248	123	20			6				137
27	Salem	1	15	190			205	51	10					7		109
28	Sperry	3	27	108		12	147	96	27	20	20	10		5		56
29	Stockport	1	17	185	8	21	231	104	16	130	6	9				140
30	Trenton	1	9	60			69	25	5	25						34
31	Wayland	2	59	390	40	42	531	200	59	265	35	35				465
32	West Burlington	1	16	140		12	168	85	16					10		143
33	Winfield	1	28	290		40	358	160	28	200	8	8				300
34	Yarmouth	2	35	310		48	393	170	35	298	10	10				198
		64	1078	8344	551	1030	11003	5319	1008	4366	518	446	\$	\$124	\$	\$ 7064

Sunday Schools—Muscatine District

List Number	NAME OF CHARGE.	SUNDAY SCHOOLS.														Sunday School Expenses: Lesson Books, Etc.
		Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars, not including Home Department and Cradle Roll	Members in the Home Department.	Children on the Cradle Roll	Total Enrollment in all Dep'ts, including Cradle Roll, H. Dept. Officers, Teachers & Schol.	Average Attendance of all Grades	Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Prep. Members	Scholars including the Home Dept. who are Ch. Mem. or Prep. Mem	Members of S. S. Converted during Conf. Yr.	Accessions to the Church from Membership of S. S.	Collected	for S. S.		
													Church	Sunday School	10 per cent. of S. S. Miss'ry Offering	\$
1	Ainsworth	1	19	210		30	259	106	19	160	21	20	\$	\$	\$	195
2	Amish	3	24	201		10	235	120	19	182				24		102
3	Brighton	1	18	166			184	95	18	95	20	20		8		150
4	Columbus City	1	20	100	14	12	146	85		60	3	3				130
5	Columbus Junction	2	21	170		33	224	86			3	3				110
6	Crawfordsville	1	20	113	5	32	170	65	13					6		175
7	Fairview	2	25	100			125	80	21		15	14				100
8	Grandview	1	16	100		49	165	65	16	38						69
9	Guernsey	1	8	70			78	51	8			2				32
10	Kalona	3	36	150	4	6	196	100	36					8		90
11	Keota	2	27	260	10	34	331	141	27	180	5	5		5		263
12	Koszta	1	10	40		12	62	25		8				2		36
13	Ladora	1	10	98			108	60	10	50	14	14		1		125
14	Letts	1	23	160		42	225	130	23	150						100
15	Lexington	3	30	130	10	25	195	130	20	135						135
16	Lone Tree	2	29	200	27		256	179	28		22	11				150
17	Marengo	1	30	260	30	50	370	172	29	175	20	30		10		150
18	Muscatine, First	1	38	517	124	74	753	338	38	413	13	13				783
19	Muscatine, North	3	61	215	5	40	321	195	61	150	7	7				264
20	Muscatine, South	2	25	200		40	265	160	25					5		120
21	Nichols	3	45	275	25	44	389	200	40	115	25	25				200
22	North English	2	30	350		40	420	180	30	300	26	26		2		300
23	North Liberty	1	15	135		15	165	87	10	50	25	20		12		225
24	Oakville	2	25	153	35	22	235	100	23	150	22	6				85
25	Oxford	1	12	68			80	60	10	30						60
26	Riverside	1	17	75	4	8	104	53	16	31		1		7		62
27	Sweetland	4	50	375		25	450	170	50	250	43	35				230
28	Tiffin	1	13	111			124	124	11	60						50
29	Victor	1	18	222			240	110	16	150		1				160
30	Wapello	1	28	225	34	41	328	120	28		10	10				140
31	Washington	1	62	849	40	168	1119	515	62	678	47	42				775
32	Webster	3	46	277	8	20	351	158	46		11	4				213
33	Wellman	1	16	275		39	330	180	16		36	34				200
34	West Chester	1	20	120		16	156	75	20	60				10		90
35	West Liberty	1	26	307	13	32	378	163	26	187	33	33				309
36	Williamsburg	1	20	155		41	216	94	20	82	30	13				140
37	Wilton	1	21	129	15	15	180	99	21	100	28	26				94
Totals		59	954	7561	403	1015	9933	4871	875	4039	479	418	\$	\$100	\$	\$ 6612

Sunday Schools—Oskaloosa District

List Number	NAME OF CHARGE.	SUNDAY SCHOOLS.												Sunday School Expenses: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.
		Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars, not including Home Department and Cradle Roll.	Members in the Home Department.	Children on the Cradle Roll.	Total Enrollment in all Depts., including Cradle Roll, H. Dept. Officers, Teachers & Scholars.	Average Attendance of all Grades.	Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Prep. Members.	Scholars including the Home Dept. who are Ch. Mem. or Prep. Members.	Members of S. S. Con-verted during Conf. Yr.	Accessions to the Church from Membership of S. S.	Collection for S. S. 10 per cent. of S. S. Missions Offering	
1	Attica	4	40	200	---	22	262	140	38	170	5	7	\$	\$ 165
2	Barnes City	3	26	186	---	24	336	144	23	135	---	---	---	155
3	Beacon	2	29	120	35	16	200	74	29	40	16	12	---	96
4	Brooklyn	1	28	300	25	27	380	165	28	240	20	20	---	190
5	Bussey	3	42	285	15	56	398	186	41	95	---	---	---	258
6	Cedar	1	23	130	37	17	207	75	23	90	---	---	---	81
7	Deep River	2	35	201	20	28	284	170	35	240	6	6	---	211
8	Delta	1	17	155	13	33	218	135	17	175	4	9	---	195
9	Eddyville	2	21	135	---	---	156	82	21	---	---	---	---	125
10	Ewart	3	27	105	---	20	152	70	20	30	---	---	---	75
11	Fremont	2	12	160	10	10	192	125	12	75	---	---	13	75
12	Givin	1	12	88	---	---	100	70	10	35	---	---	---	40
13	Grinnell	1	48	715	51	70	884	374	48	32	32	---	---	708
14	Harvey	3	31	200	8	42	281	100	20	75	2	---	---	100
15	Hedrick	1	21	166	---	11	198	86	21	---	---	---	---	130
16	Kellogg	2	38	148	---	17	203	91	33	35	3	1	---	96
17	Kilduff	4	46	244	25	38	353	198	46	235	5	6	---	291
18	Knoxville	1	33	500	21	36	590	235	33	425	---	---	---	280
19	Knoxville Circuit	4	38	187	---	26	251	133	38	161	---	---	---	102
20	Lacey	2	24	100	---	12	136	65	24	---	10	5	5	50
21	Lynnville	3	28	154	6	27	215	81	28	90	---	---	---	110
22	Malcolm	1	19	106	---	18	143	---	16	---	---	---	7	70
23	Montezuma	1	24	423	14	22	483	224	24	274	6	6	---	249
24	New Sharon	1	30	204	12	30	276	158	30	152	11	11	---	180
25	Newton	1	40	500	50	45	635	350	40	400	---	---	---	500
26	Ollie-Pekin	2	30	250	10	30	320	60	30	110	1	---	---	120
27	Oskaloosa	1	51	770	25	20	866	508	51	---	---	---	---	1094
28	Pella	1	18	105	---	25	148	60	18	---	---	5	---	80
29	Reasnor	3	48	240	10	45	343	200	45	200	31	10	---	140
30	Rose Hill	2	12	---	---	---	68	50	---	---	---	---	---	35
31	Sigourney	1	30	300	---	---	330	132	30	150	50	50	---	200
32	Sonora	3	32	170	---	10	212	80	30	---	8	8	---	160
33	Taintor	1	5	20	---	---	25	20	---	---	---	---	---	---
34	Thornburg	3	45	245	---	---	290	175	45	90	---	---	10	200
35	Tracy	1	16	144	45	20	225	80	16	90	---	1	---	119
36	What Cheer	1	25	250	10	20	305	125	25	---	---	---	---	100
Totals		69	1044	8206	442	817	10565	5021	988	3812	210	189	\$ 35	\$ 6780

Sunday School Statistics---Ottumwa District

List Numbers	NAME OF CHARGE	SUNDAY SCHOOLS															Sunday School Expenses: Lesson Books, Etc.....
		Sunday Schools.....	Officers and Teachers.....	Scholars, not including Home Department and Cradle Roll.....	Members in the Home Department.....	Children on the Cradle Roll.....	Total Enrollment in all Depts., including Cradle Rolls, H. Dpt., Officers, Teachers & Schol.	Average Attendance of All Grades.....	Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Prep. Mem.....	Scholars, including the Home Dept., who are Ch Mem or Prep Mem.....	Members of S. S. Converted during Conf. Yr.	Accessions to the Ch. from Memb'p of S. S.	Collection		for S. S. Miss'y Offering		
													Sunday School.....	10 per cent of S. S.			
																Church Bd. of	
1	Agency	1	27	260	16	20	323	160	27	206	15	23	\$	\$ 10	\$	160	
2	Albia	1	30	490	50	60	630	233	29	256	20	15		14		300	
3	Avery-Hilton	4	25	235	2	13	275	210	20	175	2	2		15		191	
4	Blakesburg	4	30	200			230	100	30							60	
5	Bloomfield	1	21	400	20	21	462	175	21	300	27	27				175	
6	Buxton	1	12	100	20	16	148	80	12							100	
7	Cantril	4	64	314	20	38	436	235	63	206	27	24				175	
8	Centerville	1	35	450	50	50	585	320	35	350	125	60				400	
9	Chillicothe	2	18	95		20	133	70	19	75	35	25				58	
10	Cincinnati	3	40	292		58	390	200	33		12	10				80	
11	Drakesville	2	18	120			138	80	16							50	
12	Douds-Leando	5	63	287		65	415	197	62		22	17				235	
13	Eldon	2	28	230			258	110	26		7	7				150	
14	Exline	4	43	208		20	271	60	43		10					90	
15	Farson	2	28	74	16	12	130	80	26	16	6					165	
16	Floris	3	30	95			125	70	24	90	20	8				61	
17	Highland Center	1	7	43			50	31	7	14	8	5				50	
18	Iconium	5	64	320		10	394	200	64	200	2	4				320	
19	Jerome	2	30	150			180	120	30		1					100	
20	Keosauqua	1	20	197			217	93	20	131	15	11				158	
21	Kirkville	1	19	111			130	69	13	26	4	3		8		93	
22	Lovilia	2	29	208	15	29	281	162	29	102						220	
23	Milton	1	18	250		8	276	180	18			6				150	
24	Moravia	2	27	300		18	345	227	27		64	64				175	
25	Moulton	1	18	200	6	44	268	130	18	100	30	30				200	
26	Mystic	2	24	250		12	286	160	24	95	12	12				180	
27	Ottumwa, First	1	49	517		71	637	326	49	420	23	23				617	
28	Ottumwa, Main St.	1	35	350		72	457	234	35		14	14				325	
29	Ottumwa, Willard	1	24	350		100	474	219	24		26	26				225	
30	Packwood	2	33	112	6	12	163	102	23	65						200	
31	Pittsburg	3	27	165			192	102	25		16	8				110	
32	Pulaski	3	30	385		15	430	150	30							200	
33	Richland	1	30	170	3	21	224	130	25	100	3	3				130	
34	Troy	3	20	155			175	125	20		120					100	
35	Unionville	1	18	130		35	183	125	18	100	15	18				100	
36	West Grove	3	28	98			126	102	24	80	25	24				108	
Totals.....		77	1062	8311	224	840	10437	5367	1009	3107	706	469	\$	\$ 47	\$	\$ 6211	

SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS—RECAPITULATION.

Burlington	64	1078	8344	551	1030	11003	5319	1008	4366	518	446	124	7064
Muscatine	59	954	7561	403	1015	9933	4871	875	4039	479	418	100	6612
Oskaloosa	69	1044	8206	442	817	10565	5021	988	3812	210	189	35	6780
Ottumwa	77	1062	8311	224	840	10437	5367	1009	3107	706	469	47	6211
Totals this year	269	4138	32422	1620	3702	41938	20578	3880	15324	1913	1522	306	26667
Totals last year	267	4061	32320	1669	3736	41786	19984	3843	18313	950	762	352	23709
Increase	2	77	102			152	594	37		963	760	46	2958
Decrease				49	34				2989				

Treasurer's Report---

List Numbers	NAME OF CHARGE	DISC. BENEVOLENCES as ordered by the Gen. Conf.								Total Disciplinary Benevolences (See ¶ 80 & 30a)
		Board of Foreign Missions—Church..	Board of Educa'n		Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Wom. H. M. S.		City Mis. or Ch. Ex. So		
			Iowa Wesleyan	Children's Day Fund		Cash	Supplies			
1	Batavia	\$ 866	\$140	\$ 7	\$115	\$184	\$ 13	\$	\$ 1325	
2	Birmingham	1275	100	5	79	---	---	---	1459	
3	Bonaparte	168	50	---	---	---	---	---	218	
4	Burlington, First	6447	550	---	1028	856	---	---	8881	
5	Burlington, Grace	515	200	5	366	279	---	---	1365	
6	" Harrison Ave.	680	178	5	---	---	---	---	863	
7	Burlington Circuit	455	130	25	135	---	---	---	745	
8	Danville	1858	293	36	346	110	46	---	2689	
9	Donnellson	1106	217	13	---	---	---	---	1336	
10	Fairfield	2772	1000	18	751	690	12	---	5243	
11	Fairfield Circuit	1317	200	9	---	---	---	---	1526	
12	Farmington	178	30	3	---	51	---	---	262	
13	Ft. Madison, First	946	200	8	360	298	99	---	1911	
14	" Sante Fe Ave.	267	100	25	200	---	---	---	592	
15	Hillsboro	165	37	---	---	7	---	---	209	
16	Keokuk	1680	215	15	250	289	113	---	2562	
17	Kingston	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
18	Libertyville	311	150	10	210	109	---	5	759	
19	Mediapolis	1507	300	18	304	213	100	---	2442	
20	Montrose	29	12	3	---	---	---	---	44	
21	Morning Sun	691	100	5	255	237	64	---	1352	
22	Mt. Pleasant	3610	750	29	1492	791	102	---	6774	
23	Mt. Pleasant Circuit	1234	184	24	---	---	---	---	1442	
24	Mt. Sterling	456	150	15	---	---	---	---	621	
25	Mt. Union	1090	180	22	343	109	---	---	1744	
26	New London	1145	150	---	343	67	43	---	1748	
27	Salem	42	---	7	26	---	---	---	75	
28	Sperry	437	130	8	---	---	---	---	575	
29	Stockport	294	100	8	---	---	54	---	456	
30	Trenton	15	10	---	---	---	---	---	25	
31	Wayland	508	111	42	224	85	---	---	970	
32	West Burlington	253	213	---	---	---	---	---	466	
33	Winfield	1600	400	15	260	200	---	---	2475	
34	Yarmouth	410	60	---	---	---	---	---	470	
Totals		\$30327	6640	\$380	7087	4575	\$646	\$5	\$53660	

Burlington District

List Number	BENEVOLENCES As Ordered by Annual Conf.							OTHER CASH ITEMS							Grand Total, including Disc. Ann'l Conf. Benev. and other cash items.		
	Educ'l Endow, B'gs, Special Gifts for use within the Conf.	Iowa Methodist Hos- pital	Graham Protestant Hospital	Wesley Foundation	University Pastors	Other Benevolences	Total Benev. ordered by An. Conf. (180, 230b)	Annual Conf. Invest- ments for Conf. Cla.	Central Office Exp. Epworth League	Support of District Superintendent	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	Support of Confer- ence Claimants	General Conference Expenses				
1	\$	27	\$	11	\$	10	\$	90	\$	112	\$	28	\$	1728			
2		74		15	25	100	214			120	30	130		1953			
3														218			
4		65		61	27	173	326	118		280	70	385	18	10078			
5		20		12	12	32	76	11		128	32	182		1794			
6		15		20		43	78	19	2	56	14	57		1089			
7		15	15	10	10	47	97			96	24	132		1094			
8		33		32		58	123	203	3	128	32	160		3338			
9		17		24			41			77	15	67		1536			
10		110		110			220	9	8	176	44	242		5942			
11		33		16	6	131	186	31		104	26	112	16	2001			
12		37				9	46			96	24	93		521			
13		13		18		101	132		4	123	31	160		2361			
14		16			10		26	36		112	28	131		925			
15						41	41	5		66	16	62		399			
16		32	17		15	71	135	50		152	38	225	9	3171			
17																	
18		25	24		10	10	69	12	2	112	28	119	10	1147			
19		42		21	8	8	79		1	112	28	154	8	2824			
20				5	3		8			80	20	68	2	222			
21		9		11		15	35	28		128	32	152		1727			
22		137	4	87	25	164	417		3	200	50	369	10	7823			
23		64		20			84	7		112	28	110		1783			
24		20		20			40	12		64	16	78		831			
25		31		10	5		46	57		112	28	124	8	2119			
26		20		19	7		46	50		128	32	150		2154			
27		12					12			72	18	80		257			
28		25	5	5	5	59	99	103		80	20	100		987			
29						8	8	26		96	24	110	6	726			
30					3		3			20	5	19		72			
31		82				16	98			120	30	165		1383			
32	50	20	10	10		48	138	13		96	24	97		834			
33		50		25	15	40	130	4		160	40	220		3029			
34		19				128	147			112	28	125		882			
-	\$	50	1063	\$	75	\$562	\$196	1392	\$799	\$	23	3630	\$903	4498	\$	97	\$66948

Treasurer's Report---

List Numbers	NAME OF CHARGE	DISC. BENEVOLENCES as ordered by the Gen. Conf.						
		Board of Foreign Missions—Church	Board of Educa'n		Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Wom. H. M. S.		Total Disciplinary Benevolences (See ¶ 80 & 30a)
			Iowa Wesleyan Fund	Children's Day Fund		Cash	Supplies	
1	Ainsworth.....	\$ 939	\$160	\$ 9	\$422	\$---	\$ 63	\$ 1593
2	Amish.....	483	---	7	---	---	---	490
3	Brighton.....	1157	224	23	265	129	---	1798
4	Columbus City.....	57	35	---	---	---	---	92
5	Columbus Junction.....	200	10	---	200	169	---	579
6	Crawfordsville.....	1358	164	15	200	---	---	1737
7	Fairview.....	191	44	12	---	---	---	247
8	Grandview.....	391	60	6	---	---	---	457
9	Guernsey.....	25	---	10	---	---	---	35
10	Kalona.....	518	200	48	174	---	---	940
11	Keota.....	882	234	15	217	129	---	1477
12	Koszta.....	3	---	3	---	---	---	6
13	Ladora.....	195	40	---	---	---	---	235
14	Letts.....	1475	216	---	298	508	---	2497
15	Lexington.....	1221	150	18	168	---	---	1557
16	Lone Tree.....	809	247	22	---	---	---	1078
17	Marengo.....	509	150	15	---	---	552	1226
18	Muscatine, First.....	8901	910	32	1391	629	62	11925
19	Muscatine, North.....	1405	275	56	---	---	---	1736
20	Muscatine, South.....	159	15	5	---	---	---	179
21	Nichols.....	534	42	12	---	---	---	588
22	North English.....	213	175	10	---	254	---	652
23	North Liberty.....	712	56	22	---	---	---	790
24	Oakville.....	300	15	4	---	---	---	319
25	Oxford.....	---	178	---	---	---	---	178
26	Riverside.....	152	67	5	---	---	---	224
27	Sweetland.....	618	98	27	120	---	---	863
28	Tiffin.....	29	---	8	---	---	---	37
29	Victor.....	991	200	13	100	---	---	1304
30	Wapello.....	706	200	---	252	63	---	1221
31	Washington.....	8105	1222	62	928	931	---	11248
32	Webster.....	305	251	23	---	---	32	611
33	Wellman.....	2519	360	---	408	298	20	3605
34	West Chester.....	500	75	16	121	139	---	851
35	West Liberty.....	2668	332	17	209	130	---	3356
36	Williamsburg.....	1216	206	9	---	87	11	1529
37	Wilton.....	1679	160	10	---	82	---	1931
	Totals.....	\$42125	6771	\$534	5473	3548	\$708	32 \$59191

Muscatine District

List Number	BENEVOLENCES As Ordered by Annual Conf.										OTHER CASH ITEMS					Grand Total, including Disc. Ann'l Conf. Benev. and other cash items.
	Educ'l Endow. Bldg. Special Gifts for use within the Conf.	Iowa Methodist Hos- pital	Graham Protestant Hospital	Wesley Foundation	University Pastors	Other Benevolences	Total Benev. ordered by An. Conf. (\$80, 300b)	Annual Conf. Invest- ments for Conf. Cla.	Central Office Exp. Epworth League	Support of District Superintendent	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	Support of Confer- ence Claimants	General Conference Expenses			
1																\$ 2083
2																\$ 733
3																\$ 2264
4																\$ 256
5																\$ 874
6																\$ 2033
7																\$ 568
8																\$ 678
9																\$ 295
10																\$ 1482
11																\$ 1903
12																\$ 326
13																\$ 484
14																\$ 2962
15																\$ 1989
16																\$ 1472
17																\$ 1766
18																\$ 13080
19																\$ 2402
20																\$ 364
21																\$ 984
22																\$ 1153
23																\$ 1010
24																\$ 671
25																\$ 420
26																\$ 484
27																\$ 1143
28																\$ 308
29																\$ 1702
30																\$ 1544
31																\$ 12182
32																\$ 1050
33																\$ 4142
34																\$ 1149
35																\$ 3967
36																\$ 1921
37																\$ 2313
	\$ 64	\$ 1388	\$ 45	\$ 663	\$ 225	\$ 1283	\$ 3668	\$ 478	\$ 105	\$ 4240	\$ 1059	\$ 5324	\$ 92			\$ 74157

Treasurer's Report---

List Number	NAME OF CHARGE	DISC. BENEVOLENCES as ordered by the Gen. Conf.							
		Board of Foreign Missions—Church	Board of Educa'n		Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Wom. H. M.S.		City Mis. or Ch. Ex. So	Total Disciplinary Renewalences (See # 80 & 30 a)
			Iowa Wesleyan.	Children's Day Fund		Cash	Supplies		
1	Attica	\$ 889	\$201	\$ 6	\$	\$198	\$	\$ 1294	
2	Barnes City	355	80	7		222		664	
3	Beacon	221	35					256	
4	Brooklyn	1493	300	21	281		123	2218	
5	Bussey	66	10	9	97			182	
6	Cedar	425	184	10	1118	15		1752	
7	Deep River	533	150	10		66		759	
8	Delta	681	145	10		124		960	
9	Eddyville	260	50	10	226	5		551	
10	Ewart	195	35	8				238	
11	Fremont	1009	204	10	217			1440	
12	Givin	47	46					93	
13	Grinnell	5631	500	13	800	494	33	7471	
14	Harvey	27	5					32	
15	Hedrick	481	195		16	152		844	
16	Kellogg	137	14	17	125			293	
17	Kilduff	1700	288	55	104	81		2228	
18	Knoxville	4590	800	20	325	297		6032	
19	Knoxville Circuit								
20	Lacey	191	25	5				221	
21	Lynnville	203	35	11				249	
22	Malcolm	301	219	5		89	55	669	
23	Montezuma	2189	536	16	254	187	14	3196	
24	New Sharon	348	100	10		184		642	
25	Newton	529	250	20	960	824		2583	
26	Ollie-Pekin	240	44	5				289	
27	Oskaloosa	7476	970	63	2233	1000	72	11814	
28	Pella	111	20	4				135	
29	Reasnor	521	42	7		248		818	
30	Rose Hill	46						46	
31	Sigourney	662	50		293			1005	
32	Sonora	1030	90	26			176	1322	
33	Taintor			8				8	
34	Thornburg	278	100	15				393	
35	Tracy	103	25		25			153	
36	What Cheer	151				66		217	
	Totals	\$33119	5748	\$401	7074	4252	\$473	\$ 551067	

Oskaloosa District

List Number	BENEVOLENCES										OTHER CASH ITEMS										Grand Total, including Discp. Ann'l Conf. Ben. and other cash items.	
	As ordered by Annual Conf																					
1	\$	18	\$	15	\$	6	\$	39	\$	16	\$	2	\$	112	\$	23	\$	102	\$	4	\$	1588
2		32		15		10		57		2				112		24		102				965
3		21		11				32						48		5		41				382
4		97		46		12		155		51				160		36		198				2818
5		14		7		6		91				1		92		21		95				482
6		57		20				124						96		23		113		6		2114
7		21		30				82				2		144		30		165				1182
8		51		30		11		128		5		3		120		30		165				1411
9		102		12		4		144						96		21		100				912
10		5		7				12						47		12		33				342
11		37		19		12		211		6				112		28		154				2019
12														5		4		13				115
13		281		64		25		34		32		7		240		50		330				8534
14		5		7				12						40		16		63				163
15		46		21		6		32		21		2		135		30		165				1302
16								8						80		10		58				449
17		84		40		10		71		5				112		26		155				2731
18		103		64		24		250		2		5		200		50		275				7005
19																						
20		6		13				16		40				80		10		47				433
21		29		11		4		85						96		20		56				550
22		20		15		8		31		26		1		105		26		98				999
23		72						42		58		5		160		41		202				3776
24		52		19		7		78		8		2		120		30		165				1045
25						28		65		7				216		54		297				3250
26		5		4				35		11				120		25		102				591
27		154		77		29		260		14		5		240		56		330		14		12733
28		4		5		4		6		10		3		80		18		86				352
29		10		33				43						116		22		120				1119
30				11				11						64		16		40				177
31		10		30		12		52						120		30		142				1349
32		12		10		8		15		11		5		120		30		165				1698
33																						8
34		53		25		5		84						120		24		100				804
35				6		4		10		12				72		18		58				323
36		49		33				14		5		2		128		24		176				648
	\$	1458	\$	1	\$700	\$235	1195	3589	\$335	\$	52	3908	\$883	4511	\$	24	\$64369					

Treasurer's Report---

List Number	NAME OF CHARGE	DISC. BENEVOLENCES as ordered by the Gen. Conf.							
		Board of Foreign Missions—Church	Board of Educa'n		Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Wom. H. M. S.		City Mis. or Ch. Ex. So.	Total Disciplinary Benevolences (See p. 80 & 30 a.)
			Iowa Wesleyan	Children's Day Fund		Cash	Supplies		
1	Agency	\$ 621	\$250	\$ 25	\$100	\$ 47	\$	\$	\$ 1043
2	Albia	2385	539	23	580	277			3804
3	Avery, Hilton	184	175	15					374
4	Blakesburg	126	108						234
5	Bloomfield	3079	514	17	250	259			4119
6	Buxton	170	75	4					249
7	Cantril	215	274	26	459				974
8	Centerville	2493	542	19	661	325	19		4059
9	Chillicothe	570	79			39			688
10	Cincinnati	223	214	11					448
11	Drakesville	61	8	5					74
12	Douds-Leando	936	321	13	50			78	1398
13	Eldon	564	322		285				1171
14	Exline	985	112	13					1110
15	Farson	335		5	75				415
16	Floris	258	120						378
17	Highland Center			4					4
18	Iconium								
19	Jerome	236	20	10	22				288
20	Keosauqua	1180	160		175	90			1605
21	Kirkville	497	104	8	160				769
22	Lovilia	581	162	5	189				937
23	Milton	1473	465		165	141			2244
24	Moravia	1124	309	8	80		110		1631
25	Moulton	2042	220	10	161	134	17		2584
26	Mystic	440							440
27	Ottumwa, First	4983	499	30	1166	764			7442
28	Ottumwa, Main St.	1477	410		507				2394
29	Ottumwa, Willard St	1269	500		156				1925
30	Packwood	445	100	10					555
31	Pittsburg	242	202	15					459
32	Pulaski	435	300	5		55			795
33	Richland	379	207		182				768
34	Troy	101	25	5	32				163
35	Unionville	312	125	12	60				509
36	West Grove	941	168	28					1137
	Totals	\$31362	7629	\$326	5515	2131	\$146	78	\$47187

Recapitulation

Burlington Dist.	\$34327	\$6640	\$380	\$7087	\$4575	\$646	\$ 5	\$53660
Muscatine Dist.	42125	6771	534	5473	3548	708	32	59191
Oskaloosa Dist.	33119	5748	401	7074	4252	473		51067
Ottumwa Dist.	31362	7629	326	5515	2131	146	78	47187
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Totals this year	140933	26788	1641	25149	14506	1973	115	211105
Totals last year	136851	22325	1174	22558	11939	1433	4	196285
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Increase	\$ 4082	\$4463	\$467	\$2591	\$2567	\$540	111	\$14820
Decrease								

Ottumwa District

List Number	BENEVOLENCES As ordered by Annual Conf							OTHER CASH ITEMS							Grand Total, including Discp. Ann'l Conf. Ben. and other cash items	
	Educ'l Endow. Bldgs. Special Gifts for use within the Conf.	Iowa Methodist Hos- pital	Graham Protestant Hospital	Wesley Foundation	University Pastors	Other Benevolences	Total Benev. ordered by An. Conf. (190, 230b	Annual Conf. Invest- ments for Conf. Cla.	Cen. Off. Exp. Ep. L.	Support of District Superintendent	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	Support of Confer- ence Claimants	Expenses	General Conference		
1	\$	25	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$148	\$	\$33	\$165	\$	\$	1452
2		26		43	16	145	145	49		180	40	198				4416
3		28		14	5	58	145			90	19	52	5			685
4		15		9	3	27	27	18		74	16	67	5			441
5		80		41	15	23	159	22		198	44	248	24			4814
6		12		6	2	35	55	9		81	18	44	8			464
7		100		23	13	49	185	16		144	32	125	7			1467
8	237	94		60	23	272	686			216	54	274	25			5330
9				2	2	37	41	7	2	108	24	115				985
10		25			10	35	35			108	24	66				681
11	6	5		8	10	11	40			81	18	43	1			257
12		69		26	10	180	285	111	1	135	30	140	12			2112
13		31		9	10	16	83			135	30	155				1574
14		36			3	35	83			91	20	73	5			1382
15		27				27	81	38		108	24	45				657
16		36		10	4	31				108	24	67	2			660
17										77	17	34				132
18																
19																
20				3	3	81	87	26		117	26	55				599
21		41		14	8	63	26	8	3	135	30	135	7			1986
22		10		8	8	26				117	26	88				1026
23		25		13	5	43	21			135	30	184				1350
24		48		37	14	61	160			162	36	185	7			2794
25		32		24	9	48	113	14	3	126	28	154				2069
26		79		17	6	51	153	177		180	40		22			3156
27		42			10	52				135	30	96				753
28		25		38	28	135	226	5039		360	80	383				13530
29		50		35	13	234	314	215	2	144	32	128	11			3240
30		10		40	15	105	5			166	37	182	5			2425
31		16		7	3	20	6			126	28	77	5			817
32		16		16	6	76	114			81	18	40	14			726
33		46		24	19	36	125	5	1	120	23	89	16			1174
34		28		16	6		50	9		126	24	97	5			1079
35		47				49	96			94	21	68	4			446
36		20		10	4	120	154	14		135	30	65	4			911
		22		13	5	33	73			108	24	87	16			1445
	\$	243	1282		\$592	\$288	1709	4114	5809	\$ 12	4649	1030	4024	\$210	\$67035	

Recapitulation

\$ 50	1063	\$ 75	\$562	\$196	1392	\$3338	\$799	\$ 23	\$3630	\$903	\$4498	\$ 97	\$66948
64	1388	45	663	225	1283	3668	478	105	4240	1059	5324	92	74157
	1458	1	700	235	1195	3589	335	52	3908	883	4511	24	64369
243	1282		592	288	1709	4114	5809	12	4649	1030	4024	210	67035
\$ 357	5191	\$121	\$2517	\$944	\$5579	\$14709	\$7421	\$192	\$16427	\$3875	\$18357	\$423	\$272509
53	3037	\$204	\$2189	\$1073	\$3899	\$10465	\$4112	308	\$13487	\$3387	\$17883	1030	\$246957
\$ 304	2154		\$328		1680	\$4244	3309		\$2940	\$488	\$ 474		\$25552
		83		129				116				\$607	

TREASURER'S REPORT

Receipts.

From Pastoral Charge Cash Collections:	
Burlington District -----	\$37,425.06
Muscatine District -----	47,888.87
Oskaloosa District -----	33,514.94
Ottumwa District -----	40,945.79
Total Collections Pastoral Charges ---	\$159,774.66
From Book Concern Dividend (ordinary) -----	\$ 4,428.00
From Book Concern Dividend (extraordinary) -----	\$ 1,476.00
From the Chartered Fund -----	\$ 35.00
From Board of Conference Claimants (Chicago) -----	\$ 250.00
From the Iowa Conference Permanent Fund -----	\$ 2,500.00
From T. S. Pool, balance from last year -----	\$ 1.35
Gift and unaccounted for -----	\$ 100.77
Grand total of Receipts -----	\$168,565.78

Included in the above pastoral charge collections are the following designated gifts:

Herbert Summers, Fairfield Ct., support native worker under Clyde Stuntz, India -----	\$100.00
Ira Harrold, Fairfield Ct., same -----	100.00
Wesley Chapel Ladies' Aid Society, Mt. Pleasant Ct., support student, China -----	25.00
Beulah Ladies' Aid Society, Mt. Pleasant Ct., Bible training to native, Africa -----	25.00
Beulah Ladies' Aid Society, Mt. Pleasant Ct., child primary school, South America -----	25.00
Pleasant Hill Good Samaritans, Mt. Pl. Ct., native nurse, Africa -----	60.00
Jas. A. Wilson, Mt. Pleasant, student in Advanced School, S. Am. -----	30.00
Epworth League, Winfield, Asanol School, India -----	40.00
Epworth League, Libertyville, sup. boy under C. L. Camp, India -----	20.00
Mrs. Wm. Switzer, Grandview, former work of Walter W. Williams in China -----	10.00
Epworth League, Oakville, support native missionary, India -----	80.00
M. D. Taylor, Barnes City, missionary in India -----	50.00
Ep. League, Knoxville, sup. Sham Lall, Thoburn Bible Inst. India -----	25.00
Epworth League, Newton, memorial ward in Chinese hospital -----	75.00
Sunday School class, Newton, a Bible woman -----	50.00

Disbursements.

Morris W. Ehnes, Centenary Treasurer -----	\$110,727.00
Board of Education (per contract) -----	600.00
Board of Education, Children's Fund -----	793.00
Iowa Wesleyan College -----	19,756.00
Iowa Methodist Hospital -----	1,688.00
Graham Protestant Hospital -----	53.00
Wesley Foundation (including Univ. Pastors) -----	2,919.00
Iowa Conference Permanent Fund -----	505.00
Epworth League, Central Office Expenses -----	59.00
District Superintendents -----	261.00
Episcopal Fund -----	3,746.00
Support of Conference Claimants, Ia. Conf. --	26,504.00
Board of Conf. Claimants, Connectional Relief -----	542.00
General Conference Expenses -----	403.00
Personal Expense Account -----	9.78
Grand Total of Disbursements -----	\$168,565.78

EDWARD W. STODGHILL, Treasurer.

REPORT OF PASTORAL SUPPORT FROM CHURCHES

Statistical Tables No. 3

BURLINGTON DISTRICT.

Charge and Pastor	Appointment	Claim	Paid	Def.
Batavia	Batavia	\$1085.00	\$1085.00	
J. P. Hehner	County Line	315.00	315.00	
Birmingham	Bethel	1025.00	1025.00	
H. W. Munster	Birmingham	475.00	475.00	
Bonaparte	Bonaparte	685.00	685.00	
	Vernon	315.00	315.00	
Burlington Circuit....	Asbury	400.00	400.00	
J. W. Stine	Augusta	200.00	200.00	
	Shilo	400.00	400.00	
	Spring Grove	200.00	200.00	
Danville	Danville	1200.00	1200.00	
W. E. Buell	Long Creek	400.00	400.00	
Donnellson	Clay Grove	258.00	258.00	
	Donnellson	323.00	323.00	
	Enbury	193.00	193.00	
Fairfield Circuit....	Bethesda	235.00	235.00	
F. S. Seeds	Parsonsville	206.00	206.00	
	Pleasant Grove	435.00	435.00	
	Prairie Chapel	213.00	213.00	
	Richwoods	211.00	211.00	
Hillsboro	Big Mound	250.00	250.00	
O. T. Wilson	Glasgow	305.00	305.00	
	Hillsboro	275.00	275.00	
Kingston	Kingston	700.00	525.00	175
	Sandridge	200.00	175.00	20
Libertyville	Libertyville	1050.00	1050.00	
J. C. Behrens	Mt. Zion	350.00	350.00	
Montrose	Montrose	750.00	750.00	
G. W. Barber	New Boston	250.00	250.00	
Mt. Pleasant Circuit..	Beulah	367.00	367.00	
J. A. Wilson	Pleasant Hill	550.00	550.00	
	Prairie Gem	255.00	255.00	
	Wesley	228.00	228.00	
Mt. Sterling	Center Chapel	450.00	450.00	
R. W. Luce	Mt. Sterling	375.00	375.00	
	Story Chapel	375.00	375.00	
Mt. Union	Canaan	700.00	700.00	
H. E. Butler	Mt. Union	350.00	350.00	
	Trinity	350.00	350.00	
Salem	Cottonwood	150.00	150.00	
V. E. Blomquist	Donalson Chapel	150.00	150.00	
	Salem	600.00	600.00	
Sperry	Franklin Mills	100.00	100.00	
H. B. Green	Sperry	650.00	650.00	
	Tamatown	270.00	270.00	
Trenton	Trenton	250.00	250.00	
J. A. Wilson				
Wayland	Finley	417.00	417.00	
W. H. Slack	Wayland	833.00	833.00	
Yarmouth	Marsh	700.00	700.00	
R. T. Richards	Yarmouth	700.00	700.00	

MUSCATINE DISTRICT.

Charge and Pastor	Appointment	Claim	Paid	Def.
Amish	Amish	343.00	343.00	
G. W. Younkin	Champion Hill	334.00	334.00	
	Franklin	283.00	283.00	
Columbus Junction....	Columbus Junction	1000.00	1000.00	
L. R. Burdock	Fredonia	100.00	100.00	
Fairview	Fairview	1180.00	1180.00	
C. E. Burdine	Toolsboro	300.00	300.00	
Kalona	Hummer	400.00	400.00	
O. E. McBride	Kalona	850.00	850.00	
	Sharon	400.00	400.00	
Koszta	Koszta	1200.00	1200.00	
C. G. Ellis	Walnut	400.00	400.00	
Lexington	Lexington	535.00	535.00	
H. C. Millice	Pilotsburg	200.00	200.00	
	Zion Center	465.00	465.00	
Lone Tree	Lone Tree	1250.00	1250.00	
J. J. Prichard	River Junction	250.00	250.00	
Muscatine, North....	High Prairie	442.00	442.00	
C. D. Nash	Park Avenue	400.00	400.00	
	Spangler Chapel	358.00	358.00	
Muscatine, South....	Island	300.00	300.00	
C. L. Stafford	Musserville	500.00	500.00	
Nichols	Cedar Valley	375.00	375.00	
J. A. Worrel	Conesville	375.00	375.00	
	Nichols	750.00	750.00	
North English.....	North English	1600.00	1600.00	
J. H. Krenmyre	Yankee	400.00	400.00	
Oakville	Huron	467.00	467.00	
P. S. Apfel	Oakville	933.00	933.00	
Sweetland	Moscow	210.00	210.00	
P. B. Gray	North Prairie	210.00	210.00	
	Pleasant Prairie	180.00	180.00	
	Sweetland	600.00	600.00	
Webster	Keswick	450.00	450.00	
J. D. Odell	South English	450.00	450.00	
	Webster	450.00	450.00	

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Charge and Pastor	Appointment	Claim	Paid	Def.
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Attica	Attica	250.00	250.00	
R. J. Arms	Beulah	300.00	300.00	
Cooper	Eldora	360.00	360.00	
	Zion	490.00	490.00	
Barnes City	Barnes City	630.00	630.00	
J. A. Moorman	Bethel Grove	210.00	210.00	
Beacon	Beacon	300.00	300.00	
E. A. Satin	Riverside	300.00	282.00	18
	Bulah	560.00	560.00	

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Bussey	Bussey	840.00	840.00	
C. E. Fitzsimmons	Hamilton	180.00	180.00	
	Marysville	180.00	125.00	55
Cedar	Cedar	700.00	700.00	
Arthur Swanson	Fairview	170.00	170.00	
	White Oak	180.00	180.00	
Deep River	Deep River	1500.00	1500.00	
Lloyd Tennant	Hope Chapel	300.00	300.00	
Delta	Delta	1000.00	1000.00	
R. G. Nye	Kendrick Chapel	66.00	66.00	
	Springfield	66.00	66.00	
	Union Chapel	67.00	67.00	
Eddyville	Eddyville	950.00	950.00	
E. S. Hehner	Hayden Chapel	250.00	250.00	
Ewart	Blue Point	167.00	167.00	
Frank Rumer	Ewart	250.00	250.00	
	Searsboro	167.00	167.00	
Fremont	Fremont	900.00	900.00	
J. W. Carson	Russell Chapel	300.00	300.00	
Harvey	Asbury	500.00	500.00	
S. E. Bushendorf	Flagler	300.00	300.00	
	Harvey	125.00	125.00	
Kellogg	Kellogg	374.00	374.00	
Irwin Friday	Rushville	256.00	256.00	
	Grace Chapel	159.00	159.00	
Kilduff	Kilduff	466.00	466.00	
W. G. Barr	Mt. Zion	309.00	287.00	22
	Pleasant View	466.00	466.00	
	Concord	300.00	300.00	
Knoxville Circuit	Eden	300.00	300.00	
W. C. Gray	Gosport	250.00	250.00	
	Washington	150.00	150.00	
	Fairview	250.00	250.00	
Lacey	Lacey	750.00	750.00	
M. F. Campbell	Bethel	500.00	500.00	
Lynville	Lynnville	450.00	450.00	
M. E. Hayes	Sully	250.00	250.00	
Malcolm	Fairmont	350.00	268.00	82
W. B. Ireland	Malcolm	1050.00	1050.00	
Ollie-Pekin	Ollie	625.00	625.00	
R. F. Sturgell	Pekin	625.00	625.00	
Reasnor	Galesburg	310.00	212.00	98
F. A. Moore	Reasnor	690.00	690.00	
	Tool Chapel	500.00	442.00	58
Rose Hill	Indianapolis	448.00	448.00	
W. C. Tinney	Rose Hill	448.00	350.00	98
Sonora	Madison	400.00	400.00	
W. J. Scott	Sheridan	550.00	550.00	
	Sonora	550.00	550.00	
Thornburg	Coal Creek	325.00	325.00	
W. E. Tinney	Thornburg	850.00	850.00	
	Tilton	550.00	550.00	

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Tracy	Tracy	650.00	650.00	
George Filmer	Union Chapel	150.00	150.00	

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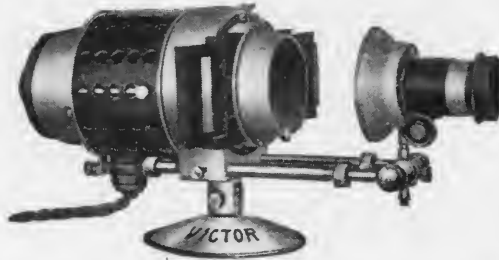
Charge and Pastor	Appointment	Claim	Paid	Def.
Avery-Hilton	Avery	110.00	139.00	
F. M. Garrett	Fairview	400.00	322.00	78
	Hilton	400.00	400.00	
	Lockman	90.00	90.00	
Blakesburg	Blakesburg	325.00	325.00	
F. B. Tucker	Christiansburg	325.00	325.00	
	Miller Ridge	100.00	100.00	
	Prairie Chapel	175.00	175.00	
Cantril	Cantril	800.00	826.00	
R. V. Felt	Home Chapel	200.00	200.00	
	Lebanon	400.00	400.00	
	Upton	200.00	200.00	
Chillicothe	Chillicothe	600.00	600.00	
R. L. LeMott	Columbia	600.00	600.00	
Cincinnati	Cincinnati	350.00	350.00	
C. C. Goltry	Numa	350.00	350.00	
	Simpson	500.00	500.00	
Douds-Leando	Douds	236.00	286.00	
C. L. Ellis	Leando	253.00	303.00	
	Mt. Moriah	351.00	391.00	
	Selma	232.00	257.00	
	Zion	228.00	263.00	
Drakesville	Ashgrove	202.00	202.00	
W. L. Burgess	Drakesville	180.00	180.00	
	Elm Grove	68.00	68.00	
Eldon	Ashland	500.00	500.00	
O. J. Fix	Eldon	1000.00	1000.00	
Exline	Exline	625.00	566.00	59
F. V. Getty	Salem	80.00	52.00	28
	Sharon	80.00	48.00	32
	Wesley	260.00	212.00	48
Floris	Belnap	285.00	285.00	
Harold Singer	Floris	515.00	515.00	
	Locust Grove	400.00	400.00	
Jerome	Jerome	700.00	700.00	
S. P. Trostle	Fiano	500.00	500.00	
Kirkville	Kirkville	1000.00	1000.00	
Treverton Warren	Salem	500.00	500.00	
Lovilia	Lovilia	1000.00	1000.00	
W. J. Hamilton	Union	500.00	500.00	
Moravia	Moravia	995.00	995.00	
A. B. Highshoe	Wesley	405.00	405.00	
Mystic	Brazil	100.00	100.00	
C. D. Loehr	Mystic	1400.00	1400.00	
Packwood	Brookville	350.00	350.00	
C. W. Cochran	Packwood	1050.00	1050.00	
Pittsburg	Bethel	137.00	137.00	
J. E. Milburn	Kilbourn	387.00	388.00	
	Pittsburg	637.00	637.00	
	White Chapel	223.00	223.00	

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Pulaski	Pulaski	875.00	875.00	50
L. L. Smith	Round Grove	275.00	225.00	
	Stiles	250.00	250.00	
Troy	Bethel	210.00	210.00	
J. C. Austin	Oak Hill	105.00	105.00	
	Star	105.00	110.00	
	Troy	630.00	630.00	
West Grove	Bethel	288.00	288.00	
C. E. Ward	Wesley Chapel	460.00	460.00	
	West Grove	158.00	158.00	

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